Job Description

Job Title	Cancer Clinical Trials Researcher
School/Department/College	Division of Cancer and Genetics, School of Medicine, College of Biomedical and Life Sciences
Job Grade	Clinical consultant/other senior clinician
Career Pathway	Academic
Post Responsible To	Prof Mererid Evans
Posts Responsible For	N/A

Main function

This part-time, fixed term position (available for up to a maximum of 2 days per week to the end of March 2027) is being created to enable clinicians to develop and lead (+/- deliver) cancer clinical trials-related research.

Main Duties and Responsibilities

- Undertake development (+/- delivery) of academic and/or industry cancer clinical trials-related activity led from Wales.
- Form connections within the Welsh research environment, for example: link with academic researchers in CReSt themes to develop trials and any associated translational projects; join the WCRC Early- and Mid-Career Researcher Network; or work with the Cardiff Cancer Research Hub on trials supported by commercial sources of funding.
- Produce outputs of this work that may include: submission of research funding applications on which the individual is a lead or co-applicant; associated recruitment of patients into Wales-led cancer clinical trials; presentations of methodology or results; and submission of peer-reviewed publications on which the individual is an author.
- Contribute updates on activity and outputs to WCRC's quarterly and end of year reporting to the funder. If required, attend WCRC leadership group meetings on request to provide a verbal update on progress.
- Any other duties not included above, but consistent with the role.

Person Specification

Essential Criteria

<u>Qualifications and Education</u>

1. Clinician employed by NHS Wales who is:
   - a consultant in oncology, surgery and/or other cancer-related disciplines such as palliative care, general practice, etc. OR
   - a senior member of other professional groups working in cancer, including nurses, allied health professionals, clinical scientists, or others who are in a position to lead cancer trials/translational research from Wales.
2. Works in a cancer specialty; or cancer prevention, detection, diagnosis or cancer patient support form a substantial part of their NHS role.

<u>Knowledge, Skills and Experience</u>

3. A track record of working on clinical research studies, as an principal investigator and/or recruiter.

<u>Communication and Team Working</u>

4. Effective project management, time management and communication skills.
5. Experience in building productive working relationships with other researchers.

Desirable Criteria
1. A higher research degree. 2. Authorship of peer-reviewed research publications. 3. Experience of building productive working relationships with staff in a clinical trials unit or other clinical research infrastructures. 4. Experience of developing and submitting research funding applications.

Additional Information

It is expected that the post holder will deliver this role at their usual place of work, with intermittent travel for Wales-based or UK-based meetings as required.

Disgrifiad Swydd

Teitl y Swydd	Ymchwilydd Treialon Clinigol Canser
Ysgol/Adran/Coleg	Is-adran Canser a Geneteg, Ysgol Meddygaeth, Coleg y Gwyddorau Biofeddygol a Bywyd
Gradd y Swydd	Ymgynghorydd clinigol/uwch glinigwr arall
Llwybr Gyrfaol	Academaidd
Swydd yn Atebol i	Yr Athro Mererid Evans
Yn Gyfrifol am y Swyddi Canlynol	Amherthnasol

Prif Swyddogaeth

Mae'r swydd ran-amser, tymor penodol hon (ar gael am hyd at uchafswm o ddeuddydd yr wythnos hyd at ddiwedd mis Mawrth 2027) yn cael ei chreu i alluogi clinigwyr i ddatblygu ac arwain (+/- cyflwyno) gwaith ymchwil sy'n gysylltiedig â threialon clinigol canser.

Prif Ddyletswyddau a Chyfrifoldebau

- Ymgymryd â datblygu (cyflawni +/-) gweithgareddau sy'n gysylltiedig â threialon clinigol canser academaidd a/neu ddiwydiant a arweinir o Gymru.
- Ffurfio cysylltiadau yn amgylchedd ymchwil Cymru, er enghraifft, cysylltu ag ymchwilwyr academaidd yn themâu CReST i ddatblygu treialon ac unrhyw brosiectau trosi cysylltiedig, ymuno â Rhwydwaith ymchwilwyr ar ddechrau eu gyrfa neu ar ganol eu gyrfa Canolfan Ymchwil Canser Cymru (WCRC), neu weithio gyda Chanolfan Ymchwil Canser Caerdydd ar dreialon a gefnogir gan ffynonellau cyllid masnachol.
- Creu allbynnau o'r gwaith hwn a all gynnwys: cyflwyno ceisiadau am gyllid ymchwil lle mae'r unigolyn yn brif ymchwilydd neu'n gyd-ymgeisydd; recriwtio cleifion cysylltiedig i dreialon clinigol canser dan arweiniad Cymru; cyflwyniadau methodoleg neu ganlyniadau; a chyflwyno cyhoeddiadau a adolygwyd gan gymheiriaid y mae'r unigolyn yn awdur arnynt.
- Rhoi diweddariadau ar weithgarwch ac allbynnau er mwyn adrodd bob chwarter ac ar ddiwedd y flwyddyn o ran Canolfan Ymchwil Canser Cymru i'r ariannwr. Os oes angen, mynd i gyfarfodydd grŵp arweinyddiaeth Canolfan Ymchwil Canser Cymru pan fo angen i roi diweddariad ar y cynnydd ar lafar.
- Cyflawni unrhyw ddyletswyddau eraill nad ydynt wedi'u nodi uchod ond sy'n cyd-fynd â gofynion y swydd

Manyleb yr Unigolyn

Meini Prawf Hanfodol

Cymwysterau ac Addysg

6. Clinigwr sy'n cael ei gyflogi gan GIG Cymru sy'n:
   - ymgynghorydd mewn oncoleg, llawdriniaeth a/neu ddisgyblaethau eraill sy'n gysylltiedig â chanser megis gofal lliniarol, practis cyffredinol, ac ati. NEU
   - uwch aelod o grwpiau proffesiynol eraill sy'n gweithio ym maes canser, gan gynnwys nyrsys, gweithwyr iechyd proffesiynol perthynol, gwyddonwyr clinigol, neu eraill sydd mewn sefyllfa i arwain treialon canser/ymchwil drosi o Gymru.
7. Yn gweithio mewn arbenigedd canser; neu atal canser, canfod, rhoi diagnosis neu gymorth i gleifion canser yn rhan sylweddol o'u rôl GIG.

Gwybodaeth, Sgiliau a Phrofiad

8. Cofnod o weithio ar astudiaethau ymchwil clinigol, fel prif ymchwilydd a/neu recriwtiwr.

Cyfathrebu a Gweithio'n Rhan o Dîm

9. Rheoli prosiectau'n effeithiol, rheoli amser a sgiliau cyfathrebu. 10. Profiad o feithrin perthnasoedd gwaith cynhyrchiol gydag ymchwilwyr eraill.
Meini Prawf Dymunol
5. Gradd ymchwil uwch. 6. Awdur cyhoeddiadau ymchwil wedi'u hadolygu gan gymheiriaid 7. Profiad o feithrin perthnasoedd gwaith cynhyrchiol gyda staff mewn uned treialon clinigol neu seilweithiau ymchwil clinigol eraill. 8. Profiad o ddatblygu a chyflwyno ceisiadau am gyllid ymchwil.

Gwybodaeth Ychwanegol

Disgwylir y bydd deiliad y swydd yn cyflawni'r rôl hon yn eu man gwaith arferol, gan deithio o bryd i'w gilydd i gyfarfodydd yng Nghymru neu gyfarfodydd yn y DU yn ôl yr angen.