

THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Post Specification

Research Associate (Ref. 19060306)

[Appointment period: eighteen months]

Duties

The appointee will assist the project leader and the team members in the research project “Community based mental health project – mental health care research theme” which aims at developing a programme of mental health focused research in community settings in Hong Kong, Macau and/or the Chinese mainland. He/She will be required to:

- (a) coordinate and participate in the activities of the project;
- (b) draft progress reports for the project;
- (c) assist in conducting literature search and literature review;
- (d) assist in subject recruitment and data collection for the project;
- (e) assist in data analysis, drafting of reports and presentation of materials;
- (f) assist in daily administrative tasks; and
- (g) perform any other duties as assigned by the project leader or his delegates.

Qualifications

Applicants should:

- (a) have a master’s degree in Nursing, Psychology or related disciplines or a good honours degree in one of the said disciplines with at least three years of research/relevant work experience;
- (b) have expertise in mental health care, counselling or mental health social work;
- (c) have proficiency in SPSS and Microsoft Office software including Chinese word processing;
- (d) have a good command of both written and spoken English and Chinese, with fluency in Putonghua;
- (e) have good interpersonal and communication skills; and
- (f) be a good coordinator and team player.

Preference will be given to those with substantial quantitative and/or qualitative research experience in mental health care and evidence of publications.

Applicants are invited to contact Dr Daniel Bressington at tel no. 2766 6408 or email dan.bressington@polyu.edu.hk for further information.

Remuneration

A highly competitive remuneration package will be offered. Applicants should state their current and expected salary in the application.

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