



Welsh Association for  
Gastroenterology and Endoscopy  
Cymdeithas Gastroenteroleg  
ac Endosgopi Cymru

## Lead Nurse and Allied Healthcare Professional

### Role Profile

<b>Post Title:</b>	Lead Nurse/Allied Healthcare Professional
<b>Tenure:</b>	2 years
<b>Accountable to:</b>	WAGE Executive Committee
<b>Remuneration:</b>	Expenses covered
<b>Key Relationships:</b>	WAGE Executive Committee Members and stakeholders

WAGE is the professional leadership group for all aspects of Gastroenterology in Wales. The organisational aim is to improve the care of patients in Wales with gastrointestinal disorders by:

- Providing leadership and professional advice
- Facilitating collaboration between multi-professional groups
- Acting as a forum for disseminating advances within the discipline
- Encouraging higher standards of training and education
- Promoting research and audit
- Facilitating processes for developing all Wales guidelines
- Facilitating patient and public interface

Robust leadership is needed to ensure patient and staff needs are met and members can access the necessary support, guidance, and leadership. Strategic and annual operating plans have been developed to ensure delivery of the organisations aims. The Lead Nurse and Allied Healthcare Professional (NAHP) will work within the Executive Committee to ensure delivery of the organisations aims and to support nurses and allied healthcare professionals WAGE members to promote.

### Job Summary

The WAGE Lead Nurse and Allied Healthcare Professional (NAHP) will provide expert advice and leadership to WAGE on all nursing and related

allied healthcare professional matters. As a key member of the Executive Committee and Core Executive Group the Lead NAHP will develop and chair the NAHP Network and provide effective two-way communication between their network, all nursing and allied healthcare professional members and the WAGE Executive Committee.

### Key Responsibilities

- To develop and lead the NAHP Network
- Actively engage in Core Executive and Executive Committee meetings and WAGE activities
- To advise on nursing and AHP matters
- Lead nursing and AHP initiatives for WAGE
- Advise on nursing and AHP training needs
- Support the Professional Secretary to develop and deliver appropriate training programmes for nurses and AHP's
- To ensure the needs of nursing and AHP members are addressed
- Work collaboratively with the BSGNA Representative for WAGE to horizon scan to ensure WAGE is up to date with UK wide initiatives

### Personal Specification

Essential	Desirable
WAGE member	Previous leadership experience at a national level
Registered nurse or allied healthcare professional from a relevant discipline	
Forward thinking and collaborative leader	
Leadership skills	
Enthusiasm to progress WAGE as a professional organisation	
Strong communication skills	
Support of line manager to allow flexibility to dedicate some time to this role	