

Job Title

Head of Services

Key focus of the role

You will provide operational leadership and support to our services team. The team provide a range of online and face to face services for people with diabetes. This includes a range of digital and face to face events and conferences as well as the UK's leading diabetes professional and academic conference. You will work across the team to support new service developments, with a focus on new digital services, and building a portfolio of support around people living with and supporting those with diabetes.

Key deliverables

- Lead our events and new growth areas of our services portfolio in line with our strategic outcomes.
- Grow and develop the capabilities of the whole of the services in monitoring and evaluation, in co-creation and engagement with people with diabetes
- Support new creative service developments, continuous improvement and operational excellence across the team
- Lead the evolution of our digital services portfolio across the team acting as a digital change agent

Contractual information

Contract type: Permanent

Hours: 35 hours a week

• Pay range: Band: 3

Key working relationships internal

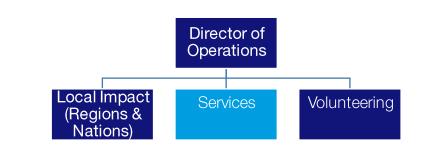
Assistant Directors, Heads of Team across the charity, Outcome Steering Groups, Outcome Programme Managers, Volunteers

Key working relationships external

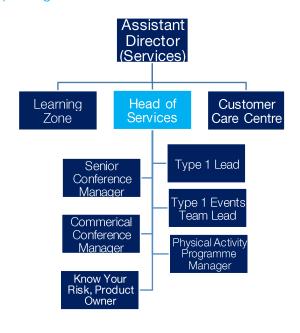
Service users, people living with diabetes, key funding partners and other external partners contributing resources or expertise, other Service Heads and experts involved in digital innovation for social benefit

Directorate and team

This role sits in the Services department in the Operations Directorate Department



Job and reporting Line





All jobs at Diabetes UK are based on our competency framework called the What-How Framework. In the following sections we've listed:

- the key activities you'll undertake (the What) and
- the skills, knowledge, experience and behaviours you need to be successful in this role (the How).

When applying, focus on the bullet points that are **bold and marked with (S)** only. We will use these elements for shortlisting purposes.

Key activities – What you need to do

Setting & Delivering Strategy and	Managing Resources	Improving delivery	Making change happen
Objectives			
 Create a clear set of objectives for each service area within the team, building a shared strategic purpose in the team. (S) 	5. Apply sound risk, budget and project management practices and work closely with fundraising colleagues to support partnership development and to ensure	7. Further embed a culture of functional excellence so that our methods and delivery standards are cutting edge, creative, provide great service and measurable	9. Take the lead on supporting teams to thrive through change and build key capabilities across services, especially digital service delivery, customer focus and
Identify and manage the relationship links between the team and strategy outcome groups.	we deliver our commitments (S)6. Provide guidance and support to members of the team in	impact with clear theories of change and are led by insights from people with diabetes (S)	engagement, events management and business modelling as we evolve our work to respond to external changes and to the ambition
3. Engage strategically with key teams across Diabetes UK to identify opportunities for collaboration, manage conflict, and maximise our impact.	delivering objectives linked to strategic outcomes.	8. Ensure robust monitoring and evaluations processes exist and are developed across the whole services portfolio in alignment with Strategic Outcomes so that services	of our outcomes (S) 10.Take the lead in considering the evolution of our digital service portfolio and how they inter-relate and how
4. Input into strategic direction and play a key role in the Operations Leadership Team.		have clarity of impact and have the processes for continuous improvement and quality assurance	users engage and journey easily between them (S)



Skills, knowledge, experience and behaviours – <u>How</u> you need to do it

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Setting & Delivering Strategy and Objectives	Managing and developing self	Managing and developing others	Improving delivery
Evidence of strong strategic thinking to make change happen; strong ability to plan, deliver and measure impact (S)	4. Work in a way that shows a passion and commitment for ensuring the safety of children and adults at risk and demonstrate experience of managing teams to embed	6. Use a coaching management style to lead and develop our high performing service managers so that they grow and thrive and can respond quickly to the external	9. Demonstrate experience of leading high performing services that have excellent operational practices with the right expertise, capabilities and processes in place
2. Demonstrate strong personal organisational skills and drive to get things done	ways of working so that services are delivered in a way that is safe, healthy and legal	environment and make the most of new ideas, best practice and opportunities to innovate	10.Use your skills in the engagement and consultation of people who use services to co-
3. Demonstrate strong leadership and building and sustaining high performing teams (S)	5. Be a strong team player and work effectively across teams to achieve change collaboratively	7. Demonstrate experience of working in communities experiencing inequalities and confidently work with vulnerable people and those	create, shape and drive our services and with our Type 1 lead make coherent the work we do for people with type 1 diabetes across the charity
		with complex needs as well as with the general public (S)	11.Use your experience of leading digital services and digital and face to face events to evolve
		8. Demonstrate an approach to service provision that builds on the strengths and assets of the people and communities who come to us	these areas of our service provision (S)

Qualifications - Qualifications you need to carry out this role

N/A

