Job Description: Through the Gate Manager

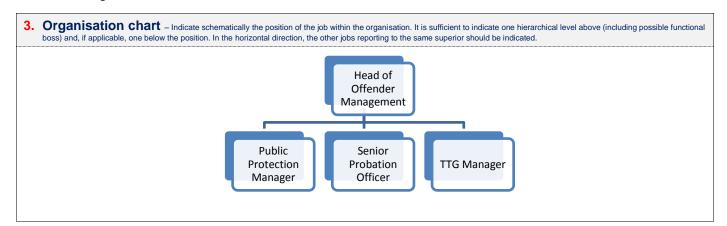


Function:	Government Services Justice
Job:	Operational Manager
Position:	Through the Gate Manager
Job holder:	TBC
Date (in job since):	TBC
Immediate manager (N+1 Job title and name):	Head of OMU
Additional reporting line to:	N/A
Position location:	HMP Bronzefield

1. Purpose of the Job – State concisely the aim of the job.

- To support the Head of OMU in delivering the vision of HMP Bronzefield to ensure that the Through the Gate pathways and Houseblock 5 operate efficiently in accordance with the values and vision of the prison.
- Ensuring the functional day to day running of a House block as a semi-open facility. This will include liaison and engagement with: NPS, Resettlement services, CRC's and Through the Gate delivery, Public Protection, and ROTL's.
- Ensuring community links are cultivated, established and maintained to support women to achieve ROTL's within the local community and beyond.
- Ensuring compliance with all relevant PSIs, PSOs and national standards.
- Ensuring the skills and training needs of the team are monitored, measured and addresses.
- Lead a diverse team of staff including Prison Custody Officers, ROTL community links worker and administrative staff overseeing the functional delivery of resettlement services.
- 2. Dimensions Point out the main figures / indicators to give some insight on the "volumes" managed by the position and/or the activity of the Department.

Management of 5-7 staff.



4. Context and main issues – Describe the most difficult types of problems the jobholder has to face (internal or external to Sodexo) and/or the regulations, guidelines, practices that are to be adhered to.

Leadership:

- Development of the team including best practice focus upon assessment of suitability for ROTL's and embedding sound risk assessment skills within the team.
- Effectively lead, develop, performance manage and motivate staff
- Effective use of Sodexo HR policies

ROTL Risk Management:

- Supporting the ROTL board process with sound risk assessment skills.
- Ensuring all processes and work undertaken are in line with Prison Service Instructions and Orders.
- Ensuring ROTL compliance and liaison with employers / families.

Community Links and Through the Gate work:

- Working with your community links worker to establish work based placements for the purpose of ROTL in the local community and beyond.
- Ensure there is effective engagement with external providers who will support ROTL's.
- Liaison with CRC's in relation to Through the Gates pathways.

Quality Improvement and Assurance:

- Ensure robust quality assurance processes are embedded
- Support staff in risk management awareness
- Improve quality of OASys and high risk case management
- **5. Main assignments** Indicate the main activities / duties to be conducted in the job.
 - To ensure that all individuals you lead manage risk appropriately.
 - To embed and maintain a safety culture in which all safety & risk responsibilities are fully executed.
 - To contribute directly to ROTL boards through written reports and individual casework review, discussion and feedback.
 - To provide one to one monthly supervision to community links worker.
 - Ensure that the skills and the competency of the team are continually reviewed, proactively managed and ensure that staff are supported to deliver best practice.
 - To hold monthly team meetings with all operational and non-operational staff assist in understanding of risk analysis and assessment.
 - To provide support and oversight to staff working supporting women through the gate.
 - To act as an operational manager in respect of duty manager responsibilities and adjudications.
 - To embed a safety culture.
 - Ensure team members have regular 1-2-1s, Huddles, PDRs and supervision.
- Accountabilities Give the 3 to 5 key outputs of the position vis-à-vis the organization; they should focus on end results, not duties or activities.

- Support staff to deliver practice that will ensure a safe environment in Houseblock 5
- To achieve positive outcomes for the residents on ROTL in the community.
- Demonstrate the Sodexo Management Behaviours and Sodexo values: Service Spirit, Team Spirit and the Spirit of Progress.
- Delivery of the Houseblock 5 contractual outcomes.
- Effective operational management in relation to adjudications, Duty Manager, resident safety and prison stability.

7. Person Specification – Indicate the skills, knowledge and experience that the job holder should require to conduct the role effectively

Essential:

- Previous custodial experience.
- Previous experience working in Resettlement services.
- Understanding of Women Offender Strategies.
- Previous ROTL experience.
- Experience of managing engagement, compliance and high quality risk assessment and analysis.

Desirable:

- An ability to demonstrate rresilience, excellent inter-personal, communication and organisational skills
- Experience of community engagement and working with stakeholders.
- Demonstrate an ability to resolve complex issues and sound judgement in relation to risk assessment.
- Successful candidates will demonstrate enthusiasm, commitment, motivation and the ability to effectively challenge with humility.

8. Competencies – Indicate which of the Sodexo core competencies and any professional competencies that the role requires

 Growth, Client & Customer Satisfaction / Quality of Services provided 	Leadership & People Management	
Rigorous management of results	Innovation and Change	
Brand Notoriety	Business Consulting	
Commercial Awareness	 HR Service Delivery 	
Employee Engagement		
Learning & Development		

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