

# **Job description**

**Job title:** Data and Impact Manager

**Location:** Head Office, London SEI (with flexibility for home working)

**Department:** Finance & Resources

**Reporting to:** Head of Data

**Direct reports:** None

**Salary:** £38,000 - 42,000 per year

### **Key working relations**

Head of Data Chief Operating Officer Heads of all departments

Directors, managers and staff teams across the charity

#### Main purpose of job:

The main purpose of this role is to work across the organisation to unleash the power of data analysis and curiosity. The role will work with colleagues across different departments to understand their data, find insights and support the team to make data driven decision and impact reporting. This role will be crucial in Muscular Dystrophy UK's (MDUK) transition to be a more data driven organisation, including:

- Identifying and developing appropriate instruments for data collection to ensure accurate impact reporting can be developed for all activities
- Identifying appropriate statistical methodology for data analysis across various departments (quantitative and qualitative as required)
- Work across the organization with Head of Departments and others to help to identify, understand and quantify the data collection needs
- Act as a business partner to all departments in relation to their impact reporting and data analysis
- Support the Head of Data in administration and integrity of the MDUK databases and data flows between various departments (across Dynamic, Smart Simple, others as required) and provide training and support to the users and to maintain data protocols and policies.

To ensure a first class Data service is provided to internal and external 'customers' with a clear focus, helpful advice, continuous improvement, problem solving and business partner approach.

#### Key areas of responsibility

#### Supporting Head of Data across the organisation

- Support various departments in collecting, cleaning, and interpretation of data sets in order to answer a question or solve a problem and support decision making
- Help various departments in decision making in respect to what data should be collected and how the tools in place may support that or may need to be improved.
- To be the internal champion of the database, emphasising the importance of data quality and leading on its development and use within the organisation
- Working with the Head of Data to prepare data selections and segmentation plans
- Support data training across the organisation as instructed by the Head of Data
- Support maintaining data policies and procedures across the organisation

#### **Data analysis**

- Perform standard analysis for infographics, reports, and blogs
- Perform ad hoc analysis of various departmental data in response to internal and external queries
- Create and maintain interactive data visualisations as part of the general reporting (internal and external)
- Help to analyse and understand impact data across departments and explore platform provision
- Support charitable, fundraising and marketing departments with using data as intelligence for decision making

#### **Impact**

- Monitoring the medical research charity sector in demonstrating impact and implanting best practice in data and impact reporting for MDUK
- Lead and support impact related working groups
- Maximise the quantity and quality of impact data collected by departments
- Improve collection, curation, and use of case studies across all activities
- Develop a strong understanding of MDUK strategy and mission to lead on consistent impact reporting across charitable activities

#### **Other**

- Investigate new analysis techniques, data models and software packages and update heads of departments about their potential application
- Consistently review new systems and processes in the marketplace in order to increase our efficiency,
- To work with the external IT and databases providers to test and install new and upgrade software relating to the database

• To undertake any other duties as directed by the line manager.

#### Values and behaviours

- A positive attitude and approach that reflect the charity's values. Strong business partner approach with willingness to communicate and explain complex data issues to users.
- To contribute to the development of the charity and lead on creating strong data driven decision culture.
- A commitment to and an understanding of disability issues, equal opportunities and diversity.
- To demonstrate role model behaviour at all times.

## **Person Specification**

Experience		
Significant experience of fundraising database marketing within	Essential	
the not-for-profit sector, with a focus on the specific use and		
manipulation of data structures within a relational database		
A good understanding and working knowledge of direct marketing,	Essential	
particularly in the not-for-profit sector		
Experience of helping to prepare and submit Gift Aid claims	Desirable	
Skills		
Knowledge and experience of using Excel and SQL (or other query	Essential	
language)		
Knowledge and experience of using Power BI, Visual Studio (or other	Desirable	
similar applications)		
Advanced understanding of statistics and statistics programmes	Desirable	
Knowledge and experience of assisting internal Finance functions	Desirable	
complete reconciliation reports		
Proven ability to successfully implement patches and upgrades of	Desirable	
database software, retaining database stability		
Personal qualities		
Ability to work methodically and accurately with excellent attention to	Essential	
detail		
To have a positive attitude to work, particularly new initiatives	Essential	
Planning - The ability to develop and implement clear and robust plans	Essential	
for self and others to follow.		
Leadership - The ability to set instructions whilst empowering others to	Essential	
accomplish tasks. Demonstrates flexibility by adopting a management		
style to the given situation.		
Organisational skills - The ability to manage own time and tasks	Essential	
effectively. To work to agreed deadlines and cover diverse areas of		

operations (research, services, restricted funding reporting requirements)		
Ownership and accountability - The ability to accept responsibility for own area of work, identifying critical elements and working in a proactive/solution focused way.	Essential	
Teamwork - Strong interpersonal skills and ability to build effective working relationships.	Essential	
Communication - The ability to represent Muscular Dystrophy UK effectively and professionally.	Essential	
Self Development - The ability to constantly challenge and improve self and others.	Essential	
Details		
Hours – 35 per week		
Holiday – 25 days per year		