Role Profile



Job Title:	Grade: M	Post Number: IT00004
Service Desk Senior Analyst		
Directorate:	Job Family:	Date Prepared:
Resources & IT	IT	01.08.15

Role reports to (Job Title): Service Desk Team Leader

Job Purpose:

To provide monitoring, review, training, coaching, mentoring and promoting customer focus to a small team of Service Desk Analysts and deputise for the Service Desk Team Leader providing support to Swindon Borough Council staff, partners and 3rd party suppliers.

Ensure the service desk delivers a high quality service that meets the needs of the customers ensuring that consistent policies, standards and processes are implemented and managed.

To work with the relevant Teams ensuring continual service improvement is embedded as an outcome of monitoring trends and incident management through the Service desk Service.

Key Accountabilities:

- 1. Assisting the Service Desk Team Leader in providing motivation and support for other team members.
- 2. Deputise for the Service Desk Team Leader in their absence.
- 3. Provide monitoring, review, training, coaching, mentoring and promoting customer focus to a small team of service desk analysts.
- 4. Consistently monitoring, reviewing and improving the performance of the service desk by evaluating trends in relation to the volume and type of incidents reported through the Service Desk.
- 5. Provide a professional and effective 1st line technical support service with a high percentage of first time fixes.
- 6. To investigate incidents and take action to resolve these incidents whilst monitoring trends and enabling problem management.
- 7. Ensure calls answered, resolved or passed to other areas within agreed SLAs and KPIs.
- 8. Consistently monitor, review and improve standards and processes with a view to continuous improvement and customer satisfaction.
- 9. Ensure that the Service Desk Team receives regular information updates and works with other teams and customers to continually improve performance and raise awareness of the IT service.

- 10. To Manage IT Major Incident Management across the IT Estate when covering for Service Desk Team Leader.
- 11. To communicate known and potential problem areas to end users and management and to update progress to resolution and closure.
- 12. To escalate incidents to subject matter experts internally and externally as required.
- 13. To ensure incidents and requests are allocated to the correct resolver groups if not resolved by Service Desk.
- 14. To monitor quality assurance systems and processes to ensure that work is carried out in accordance with SBC's agreed policies, standards, methods and procedures.
- 15. To use and ensure the Service Desk System is used in line with agreed processes, data quality is maintained and information managed in line with relevant policies.
- 16. To use remote support tools to provide customer support and assist with software configuration, deployment and investigate and resolve incidents.
- 17. To provide an effective service in facilitating the requirements of ICT users starting, leaving or changing their role with SBC in line with the ICT Computer Security Policy including account set-ups and permission amendments.
- 18. Mentor and motivate Service Desk team members.
- 19. Provide IT support services to customers through various channels and interfaces (telephone, email, web, remote support tools).
- 20. Ensure Knowledge Base is promoted, used and maintained and developed in line with support model for both Team and Customer facing information.
- 21. Maintaining a professional relationship with customers and continually assess and report on customer satisfaction and IT performance.
- 22. Conduct Customer Feedback surveys and analyse returns in order to improve customer service.
- 23. Work flexibly and embrace change in order to best contribute to the delivery of a quality service by the team.

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- Self-Aware
- Has Integrity
- Collaborator
- Has Meaningful Relationships
- Resilient
- Has Clarity of Intention

Supplementary Accountabilities:

- 24. To participate in the full range of Departmental and Council activities including corporate working groups and other initiatives as required from time to time.
- 25. To be responsible for delivering the Council's Equality Policy relevant to the post holder's area of work.
- 26. Such other duties as may arise in connection with the activities mentioned above.

Job Scope: Number and type of jobs directly managed:	Job Scope: Direct responsibility for financial resources and / or physical assets
Typical tasks supervised/allocated to others:	Budget:
	Assets:

Knowledge and Experience:

- GCSE or equivalent in 5 subjects including English and Mathematics
- Minimum 2 year telephone support experience in a customer service role
- Minimum 1 year staff supervision and mentoring experience to provide a high standard of customer service
- IT literate with proven basic IT skills
- Active Directory experience
- Experience of working in an ITIL environment
- Proven planning and organisational skills
- Highly Motivated with a Positive Professional attitude
- Desire to provide a high standard of service

Decision Making:

- Ability to make decisions and manage Major Incidents in a professional and organised manor when deputising for the Service Desk Team Leader.
- Ability to prioritise own workload to ensure tasks are completed within given timescales.
- Make both reactive and proactive operational decisions to improve service delivery and customer experience.
- Experience of working with minimum direct supervision with flexibility to cope with varying demands and tight deadlines.
- Ability to get on with people and deal with difficult situations calmly
- To Manage IT Major Incident Management across the IT Estate when deputising for the Service Desk Team Leader.

Contacts and Relationships:

- Daily contact with Service Desk Analysts
- Daily contact with Customers
- Daily contact with Managers and Professionals
- Daily contact with Service Areas

- Regular contact with 3rd Party Suppliers
- Regular contact with SBC Partners
- Excellent communication skills to include: in person, meetings, presentations, telephone, e-mail, remote control, reports
- Daily monitoring service ensuring incidents and requests are allocated to the correct resolver groups.
- Ability to supervise, motivate, train, coach and develop staff

Creativity and Innovation:

- Act as a subject expert and provide advice and guidance to the management team and colleagues.
- Willing to acquire new skills and broaden areas of competencies

Features of the role:

• Must be able to work flexibly to meet the demands of the job including some out of hours working at either evenings or weekends.

Employee Signature:	
Print Name:	Date
Line Manager's Signature	
Print Name:	Date: