Success Profiles

Why is it being introduced?

The Success Profile Framework is being introduced to attract and retain people of talent and experience from a range of sectors and all walks of life, in line with the commitment in the Civil Service Workforce Plan.

What is new?

The Success Profile Framework moves recruitment away from using a purely competency based system of assessment. It introduces a more flexible framework which assesses candidates against a range of elements using a variety of selection methods. This will give the best possible chance of finding the right person for the job, driving up performance and improving diversity and inclusivity.

What are the elements of the Success Profile?

Experience

the knowledge or mastery of an activity or subject gained through involvement in or exposure to it.

Strengths

the things we do regularly, do well and that motivate us.

Ability

the aptitude or potential to perform to the required standard.

Technical

the demonstration of specific professional skills, knowledge or qualifications.

Behaviours

the actions and activities that people do which result in effective performance in a job.