



What's it like being a: Data Processing Executive
(Healthcare Market Research Agency)

What are the main responsibilities of your role?

Producing data tables and conducting statistical analysis of questionnaire results.

What key skills are required in your role?

Good statistical and analytical skills in order to analyze the data. Also attention to detail as it is important there are no errors or data could become skewed.

What is a typical day like in your job?

Spend time liaising with research executive about table and analysis specifications. Conducting statistical analysis with software such as SPSS.

What are the most enjoyable/most challenging aspects of your role?

It is satisfying to deliver an analysis a client or research executive is pleased with. It is challenging when clients are demanding and expected complex analysis to be completed in a short time frame.

How did you get into Healthcare MR?

Took a degree in mathematics and statistics. Then applied for a job as a data processing assistant in a large research agency

What are the career/personal development opportunities available?

Can progress to become head of data processing and manage junior members of staff.

What do you think is the most attractive thing to new comers about your job?

The chance to develop statistical skills and work on a variety of different projects with varying analyses.