

Medical Geneticist



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A rewarding opportunity awaits the Medical Geneticist at the University of Saskatchewan and Saskatoon Health Region.

The University

A publicly funded institution established in 1907, the University of Saskatchewan offers a full range of curricula, both academic and professional, with students registered in 13 colleges, including health sciences (medicine, nursing, dentistry, physiotherapy, pharmacy and nutrition and kinesiology) and veterinary sciences.

The Region

Saskatoon Health Region is one of the most integrated and complex health delivery agencies in Canada. We are the largest health region in Saskatchewan serving more than 300,000 residents in over 100 cities, towns and rural municipalities. Saskatoon Health Region is the largest single employer in the province with over 11,000 staff and 750 physicians across the Region providing a complete range of health services to residents of central and northern Saskatchewan. The city's three acute care hospitals – St. Paul's, City, and Royal University – comprise three of the province's tertiary teaching centres.

The City

Saskatoon Shines – with more hours of sunshine than any other major Canadian city. With a population of 230,000, Saskatoon is the largest city in Saskatchewan, boasting small town spirit and big city amenities. World class events, festivals and attractions ... strong arts and music

focus ... a short drive to the northern lake country ... a variety of indoor and outdoor sporting facilities ... and more golf courses per capita than anywhere in North America. The city is noted for its outstanding walking and biking trails along the riverbank and excellent educational facilities, including the University of Saskatchewan. What's more – everything is within 15 minutes of home.

The Opportunity and the Applicant

The Division of Medical Genetics currently consists of a medical geneticist, four genetic counsellors, a Ph.D. cytogeneticist and support staff. A wide range of in-patient and outpatient genetic services are provided to the population of Saskatchewan.

As the successful applicant you will participate in clinical care, medical education, and research. Preference will be given to applicants with an MD and who are certified or eligible for certification in medical genetics through the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. Individuals with certification through the CCMG and/or ABMG may also be considered. Licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan is necessary. Salary and rank will be commensurate with experience and qualifications.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.



To Apply:

If you are seeking a challenging career opportunity, please apply in confidence to:

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The University of Saskatchewan is committed to employment equity. Members of designated groups are encouraged to self-identify (Aboriginal, persons with disabilities and visible minorities).