

Renal Transplant Surgeon



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Come and be a part of the future of the Saskatchewan Kidney Transplant Program.

The Opportunity

The University of Saskatchewan and Saskatoon Health Region are currently recruiting a renal transplant surgeon to an academic tenure track position.

The Kidney Transplant Program is dedicated to providing comprehensive evaluation with modern and up to date management of patients including laparoscopic donor nephrectomies and a planned DCD donor program. There are approximately 50 kidneys transplanted annually, with the potential for a pancreatic transplant program in the near future. Remuneration will be through an academic alternate funding plan.

The Candidate

Candidates must be eligible for licensure in the Province of Saskatchewan and must be certified or eligible for certification through the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. The successful applicant will be a surgeon with training and experience in kidney transplantation. Interest or experience in research is important and start up research funding is available.

The Region

Saskatoon Health Region is one of the most integrated and intricate health delivery agencies in Canada. We are the largest health region in Saskatchewan serving more than 300,000 residents in over 110 cities, towns and rural municipalities. Saskatoon Health Region is the largest single employer in the province with 13,000 staff and 900 physicians across the Region

providing a complete range of health services to residents of central and northern Saskatchewan. The Region's urban acute care hospitals; St. Paul's, Saskatoon City, and Royal University, comprise three of the Province's tertiary teaching facilities.

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, kinesiology, pharmacy and nutrition), veterinary sciences, and is home to the Canadian Light Source, Canada's national synchrotron research facility.

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. Saskatoon is home to world class events, festivals and attractions. Our city has a strong arts and music focus, a variety of indoor and outdoor sporting facilities, and more golf courses per capita than any city in North America. Saskatoon is a short drive from northern lake country and our international airport makes travel to and from the city a pleasure. The city is noted for its outstanding walking and biking trails along the river bank and excellent education facilities, including the University of Saskatchewan. What's more - everything is within 15 minutes from home!



To Apply:

Interested individuals are invited to send a letter (or e-mail to surgery.dept@usask.ca) indicating career interests, curriculum vitae, and the names of three referees, to:

Department of Surgery
2nd Floor, Royal University Hospital
103 Hospital Drive
Saskatoon, SK S7N 0W8
Phone: (306) 966-8641
Fax: (306) 966-8026
Web: www.medicine.usask.ca/surgery

Review of applications to begin in September, 2011

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).