Medical Geneticist
(Option to include Metabolic Services)
Full Time or Locum

Posting Date: February 24, 2020

Position Profile: Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) – Saskatoon and University Saskatchewan (UofS), Department of Pediatrics of the College of Medicine seek a Medical Geneticist. The successful candidate will provide specialist consultative services and will participate in developing and guiding strategies for improving the health and health care of Saskatchewan adults and children. The position provides physicians with protected time for clinical, administrative and academic duties. There is an opportunity to incorporate Metabolics services into this position, up to 0.5 FTE, dependent upon the interest of the candidate.

We provide a wide range of genetic services for both adults and children. These services include genetic assessment, testing and diagnosis, targeted analysis including cytogenetic, molecular and metabolic investigations. The program provides reproductive (including preconception and prenatal), pediatric, adult and cancer genetic counselling services.

As a team, we anticipate the impact of a specific diagnosis for the family, and educate them about the results of our investigations and possible diagnosis. We make recommendations and referrals as necessary to ensure families have access to the most appropriate medical and social services. Genetic counsellors are available for ongoing emotional support and to discuss family planning issues if necessary.

Employment Type: Full Time or Locum
Compensation: $391,474 - $446,661 Full Time contract; competitive daily rate locum contract
Benefits: This is an independent contractor position therefore benefits are the responsibility of the successful candidate
Location of Practice: Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Qualifications/Requirements of the position: Candidates must hold certification or be eligible for certification with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. Licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan (CPSS).

Through the Saskatchewan Medical Association (SMA), further benefits include:

- Retention Fund-Provides financial rewards to physicians who practice in the province for extended periods of time. Depending on years of services the range is $3,500 to $7,000 per year based on full-time.
- Continuing Medical Education Fund-Assists physicians with costs up to $3,000 associated with CME courses and materials.
- Parental Leave Fund-The program provides a max of $1,300 per week for up to 20 weeks to a physician who is taking a maternity, paternity or adoption leave from clinical practice.
- CMPA Reimbursement Fund - Rebates SK physicians the fees associated with medical malpractice insurance premiums.
- Specialist Recruitment Incentive-Grant of $30,000 to eligible specialists who establish practice in SK and remain for 36 months in a SK community.

- Saskatoon Community Information
- The University of Saskatchewan
- The Saskatchewan Health Authority

To Apply: SHA supports a shared commitment to a Representative Workforce that is respectful and inclusive of all staff and clients and welcomes applications from those who will contribute to the diversity of our community. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

Interested candidates, please submit your curriculum vitae in confidence to:
Jennifer Grunert, Physician Recruitment Coordinator
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Please note applications will be accepted until the position is filled.