



Expression of Interest Chair, Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee

Position Summary

Within the context of a patient and family-centered model of care, and in alignment with the Mission, Vision, Values, and strategic directions of Providence Health Care ("PHC"), PHC is seeking a physician to assume the role of Chair of the Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee ("Chair").

The Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee ("Committee") is a standing committee of the Medical Advisory Committee ("MAC"), primarily serving to advise on drug policies, educate healthcare staff on drug-related matters, and evaluate drug therapy quality by reviewing drug use for appropriateness, safety, and cost-effectiveness.

The Chair is responsible for supporting and leading the Committee's work, including preparing meeting agendas, leading a minimum of nine (9) meetings annually, and providing reports to the MAC.

The Chair is expected to commit approximately one (1) hour per week during the term and will be compensated in accordance with the Medical Leadership Compensation Framework established by the Ministry of Health and the Health Employers Association of British Columbia (HEABC), with input from the Health Authority.

The Chair will be appointed by the MAC for a two (2) year term, with the possibility of renewal following a review by the MAC. The term is anticipated to begin on December 1, 2024.

Qualifications

To apply for this position, candidates must be members in good standing with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia and the Active Medical Staff at PHC. Ideal candidates will have demonstrated leadership skills, including the ability to inspire and direct teams, communicate clearly with multiple stakeholders, and manage conflict effectively.

The chosen candidate will exemplify PHC's values and contribute to a culture of equity, diversity, and inclusion. They will also be committed to the principles of Truth and Reconciliation, ensuring that care, facilities, and services are safe and respectful for Indigenous patients, residents, families, staff, and Medical Staff.

How to Apply

Applications will be reviewed immediately, and the position will remain open until filled.

Please submit a cover letter, resume and references to Melanie Catacutan at mcatacutan@providencehealth.bc.ca.

For additional information, please contact Dr. David Albiani at David.Albiani@vch.ca.