



Hematopathologist Vancouver, British Columbia (BC)



The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Providence Health Care (PHC) is seeking a part time (0.8 FTE) Hematopathologist.

Hospital: St. Paul's Hospital (SPH) is a large tertiary acute care, teaching and research hospital located in downtown Vancouver, British Columbia (BC). SPH is affiliated with the University of British Columbia (UBC) Faculty of Medicine and is one of the major teaching hospitals in Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH) Authority. The hospital is home to the provincial programs for adult hemoglobinopathies and adult bleeding disorders and the laboratory is the provincial referral center for special coagulation testing in BC. SPH also has major programs in HIV/AIDS, cardiac surgery, cardiology, nephrology, gastroenterology, endocrinology, colorectal and breast surgery. A new SPH is currently under construction and on track to open in 2027. The new hospital is a 1.2 million square foot acute care hospital (almost twice the size of current SPH) connected by a sky-bridge to a world-class research facility. The new SPH is located adjacent to Vancouver's downtown core on the 18-acre Jim Pattison Medical Campus which is the largest and most ambitious health care capital project in western Canada.

Department: The successful candidate will join four other hematopathologists to work in a supportive collegial environment in a laboratory based on lean principles with advanced equipment and a team of knowledgeable, dedicated technical staff. We provide diagnostic services and medical oversight to the hematology and transfusion medicine (TM) labs at SPH and Mount Saint Joseph Hospital (MSJ) in Vancouver. Working at SPH laboratory provides the opportunity to practice hematopathology at its fullest breadth, which is a challenging and rewarding career. The successful candidate will be expected to participate in bone marrow procurement, blood film, fluid film, bone marrow (aspirate and trephine biopsy), flow cytometry and hemostasis sign-out. Participation in medical oversight of the TM laboratory and after hours/weekend on-call services is also required. Teaching UBC medical trainees (undergraduate, residents and fellows) and laboratory technologists is an integral part of our weekly professional activities, and regular teaching contributions are expected by all hematopathologists.

Candidate qualifications: The successful candidate will demonstrate the ability to effectively work in a collaborative team environment. Preference will be given to applicants who can provide evidence of current involvement and commitment to education. Strong record of involvement in quality improvement, method validation and/or research will also be considered assets. The preferred candidate will hold, or be eligible for, certification with the Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Canada in Hematopathology. We will also consider applicants who hold, or are eligible for, certification with the Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Canada in General/Anatomic Pathology with fellowship training in Hematopathology. Candidates must be eligible for licensure in BC. In accordance with Canadian Employment and Immigration requirements, preference will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. The successful candidate will be a member of the UBC Clinical Faculty; academic rank will be determined in accordance with previous academic record. PHC and UBC hire on the basis of merit and are committed to employment equity. We encourage all qualified persons to apply.

Interested candidates are invited to submit a letter of interest, their curriculum vitae, and the names of three referees to:

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