

## ***Sunnybrook invents the future of health care***

### **Chief, Department of Psychiatry**

Applications are invited for the position of Chief, Department of Psychiatry at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre in Toronto, Canada, a fully affiliated academic health sciences facility of the University of Toronto. The Department of Psychiatry has 36 fulltime, University of Toronto-appointed staff. Services and academic programs are organized in 3 Divisions (Youth, Adult and Geriatric) that provide comprehensive Mental Health Care across the lifespan. Academic specialty services include Mood and Anxiety disorders, Neuropsychiatry, Cognitive Disorders and Women's Mental Health.

The Department of Psychiatry at Sunnybrook is an integral member of the Brain Sciences Program - an innovative organizational structure that facilitates collaboration among multiple cognate disciplines addressing disorders of the brain and mind. The complete integration of Psychiatry into the mainstream of the academic health science centre offers unique opportunities in clinical care, education and research.

Sunnybrook plays a leadership role in the Ontario health care system and in caring for its community through seven comprehensive programs: Holland Musculoskeletal; Brain Sciences; Odette Cancer Centre; Women and Babies; Schulich Heart Centre; Trauma, Emergency & Critical Care; and Veterans and Community. Sunnybrook is committed to high quality inter-professional education and is the home of one of the University's four Academies for undergraduate medical education in addition to providing postgraduate and fellowship training in virtually all disciplines. The Sunnybrook Research Institute is one of the fastest growing hospital-based research enterprises in Canada with well-established programs in basic and applied research, conducting \$100 million in research each year, developing innovations in care for more than 1 million patients annually, and passionate about providing rewarding educational experiences for more than 2,000 students each year.

The Chief will be responsible for clinical and academic matters within the department, for providing institutional leadership on issues related to Psychiatry and for ensuring effective and efficient departmental operations. Candidates will have Psychiatry certification from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, or equivalent qualifications and preferably be qualified to hold the rank of Professor or Associate Professor. Equally important will be the vision to continue the Department's integration with Sunnybrook's programs and strategic priorities; excellent interpersonal skills; strong leadership capabilities; experience and knowledge regarding the recruitment of academic physicians; as well as a record of peer-reviewed research, of leadership in undergraduate, postgraduate, fellowship, continuing medical education or patient education, or of leadership in model service delivery as creative professional academic activity.

Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre and the University of Toronto are strongly committed to diversity within their communities and welcome applications from qualified women and men, members of visible minorities, aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups and other who may contribute to further diversification of ideas. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed in the first instance to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Considerations of candidates will begin in April 2012. To explore this exciting challenge further, please direct enquiries in confidence to the address shown below.

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