Request for EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Consultant Physician, Strategic Plan - PARTNERSHIPS

Providence Health Care (PHC) and the PHC Physicians and Surgeons Association (PASS) invite qualified physicians to submit an Expression of Interest for the role of Consultant Physician for the Partnerships strategic direction. This strategic direction is under the sponsorship of PHC’s Vice President (VP), Seniors Care, Organizational Strategy & Partnerships who, in cooperation with key stakeholders in the organization, is responsible for identifying the opportunities and metrics to ensure success. The Consultant Physician Role is being promoted to fill an upcoming vacancy.

The Role

The Consultant Physician will: be a key stakeholder and influence decisions relating to the Partnerships strategic priority; bring a voice of Medical Staff to the priority; and ensure that Medical Staff are kept informed of priority projects, measures and accomplishments.

Leading, developing, and optimizing the support of a high-functioning Physician Advisory Committee to drive priority activities within the Partnerships pillar is integral to the success of this role. In addition, understanding and leveraging the relationships and links between the Partnerships strategic direction and PHC’s other core strategic priorities, enabled by close, ongoing collaboration with Consultant Physician peers and PHC’s VP sponsor is key.

Overall goals of the Partnerships strategic direction are to:

• Create partnerships with government and other public, private and academic organizations to advance new models of care.
• Cultivate partnerships that enable integrated care and more seamless transitions between hospital, specialty care, primary and community care.
• Seek and create partnerships with leading technology and digital health organizations to improve responsiveness, connectivity and quality.
• Prioritize partnerships that improve the care journey for Indigenous peoples and vulnerable populations.

Specific priorities for Partnerships until the end of 2020: Year One Accomplishments

• Developing a digital and virtual health strategy.
• Improving outcomes, safety and experience for the Indigenous population we serve, including increasing awareness of and access to Indigenous Cultural Safety training for Medical Staff.
• Facilitating Medical Staff engagement in PHC projects to improve patient transitions and flow across acute/long-term care/primary care/community services.
• Providing input on behalf of Medical Staff into the development of the 2021 key accomplishments.

Reporting will be to the Facility Engagement Chair, with a liaison to PHC VP sponsor, this role will be instrumental in engaging physicians in the Strategic Plan. Leveraging Medical Staff input from consultations in late 2018 and early 2019, this strategic direction in concert with the other strategic directions will drive the organization forward over the next seven years.

This role is part-time (20 hours per month) funded through PHC PASS Facility Engagement at the Specialist Services Committee’s Facility Engagement Initiative sessional rate, for a total of $38,153.00 Term: April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021.
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Qualifications:
• Physician licensed to practice in British Columbia
• Must hold appointment as a member of the Medical Staff at PHC
• Interest or experience in the Partnerships strategic direction

Qualities:
• Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
• Ability to work collaboratively with multidisciplinary teams
• Strong relationship builder
• Systems thinker
• Ability to address interdisciplinary issues
• Credibility and respect amongst colleagues
• Broad-minded with exceptional problem-solving skills

Ongoing, consistent work at Saint Paul’s Hospital and connections to Mount St Joseph Hospital and Holy Family Hospital are assets for this role.

Expression of Interest:
Interested physicians are invited to submit a letter of interest and updated CV by March 16, 2020 to:

PHC Facility Engagement (Working Group of the PHC Physicians and Surgeons Association)

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