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Expression of Interest On-call Locum General Surgeon, Mount Saint Joseph Hospital

Position Summary and Qualifications

Within the context of a patient and family-centered model of care, and in accordance with the Mission, Vision, Values and strategic directions of Providence Health Care ("Providence"), the Division of General Surgery (Department of Surgery) is seeking General Surgeons for On-call services on a locum basis at Mount Saint Joseph Hospital ("MSJ"), to start in the first quarter of 2024.

Due to clinical restructuring within the Division of General Surgery, MSJ is offering on call opportunities to fellowship trained General Surgeons (preferably with endoscopy skills).

The locum will be expected to take 1 week of Acute General Surgery and Acute GI bleed call beginning at 8 am on Fridays. They will be responsible for all general surgery inpatients, consults from the emergency department and wards, and emergency surgeries and endoscopies. At the conclusion of the week of call, the surgeon will handover all inpatients to the oncoming on call surgeon. The surgeon will transfer all outpatient follow up to an incumbent MSJ General Surgeon.

Emergency surgery and endoscopy time is available typically following the elective surgery and endoscopy slates. There is capacity for call back surgery as well. There will be no elective OR or endoscopy time available to the locum.

We anticipate the need for roughly 10-16 weeks of call relief in 2024.

During the week of call, the locum will receive Level 1 MOCAP and may bill fee for service for all clinical encounters.

The successful candidate will also exemplify Providence's values and contribute to a culture of equity, diversity, and inclusion. In addition, Providence is committed to our responsibilities on Truth and Reconciliation. We hold ourselves accountable for making our care, facilities and services a safer experience for Indigenous patients, residents, families, staff and Medical Staff.

Why PHC

Providence is a non-profit Catholic organization that provides services in partnership with Vancouver Coastal Health and the Provincial Health Services Authority. At Providence we embrace compassionate care, social justice, and innovation while delivering medical services to vulnerable populations across Vancouver and its neighbouring communities. Providence is committed to building a culture of equity, diversity, and inclusion

where the staff and Medical Staff – both current and prospective – feel welcomed, valued, and supported to thrive in their work. As we look towards the future, we are led by four strategic pillars: quality-forward, people-forward, learning-forward, and partnerships-forward. We invite you to join us as we work towards building the future of healthcare in British Columbia.

How to Apply

To build a strong and representative workforce, we encourage physicians from all backgrounds to apply. We are deeply committed to diversity within our community, and welcome applications from Indigenous persons, people of colour, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity, and others who may contribute to the further diversification and inclusion of ideas, practices, and ways of knowing that can improve our care and services.

Interested applicants are asked to submit a letter of interest, CV, and a minimum of three letters of recommendation. Candidates currently in practice must send letters from their Division and/or Department Head, and candidates in practice for less than 5 years are asked to submit a letter of reference from their general surgery residency program director.

Please send all attachments as pdfs with email subject line “ On-call General Surgeon Locum Position – Mount Saint Joseph Hospital” addressed to Dr. Manoj J. Raval, Head, Division of General Surgery, at mraval@providencehealth.bc.ca as soon as possible. Please advise your referees to do the same for reference letters.

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