

DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL ONCOLOGY

CROSS CANCER INSTITUTE

EDMONTON, ALBERTA



The University of Alberta, Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry in partnership with Alberta Health Services (AHS), is inviting applications for a Director of Medical Oncology. This appointment oversees the Section of Medical Oncology at the Cross Cancer Institute (CCI) and the Division of Medical Oncology in the Department of Oncology within the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry at the University of Alberta. The Cross Cancer Institute, operated by Alberta Health Services - Cancer Care, is the comprehensive cancer treatment and research facility serving Edmonton and Northern Alberta. The University of Alberta has been internationally recognized as among the world's top 50 medical schools and as one of Canada's premier health-education institutions.

The Director of Medical Oncology role is a full-time academic, clinical and leadership position. Responsibilities of the incumbent will include the following:

- Leading by example as an academic medical oncologist
- Identify and address medical oncology resource needs that will address tumor group interests
- Ensuring that junior medical oncologists are mentored
- Build research capacity in the Division of Medical Oncology
- Support, promote the teaching roles and responsibilities of medical oncology
- Work in conjunction with the Medical Director of (CCI) and Chair of the Department of Oncology at the University of Alberta, to further expand Medical Oncology and enhance the profile of the department building it into one of the strongest programs in Canada
- Work with other clinical sections and academic divisions to enhance team building, collaboration, and translational research
- Clinic inpatient and outpatient care in the medical oncology section

The successful candidate will have an appointment at the appropriate level in the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry at the University of Alberta. The Department of Oncology has over 100 members in seven divisions: Medical Oncology, Radiation Oncology, Experimental Oncology, Medical Physics, Palliative Medicine, Oncologic Imaging and Surgical Oncology.

Our Experimental Oncology division includes 16 investigators, graduate and post graduate training programs with an emphasis on translational research. We have a 40,000 ft² research wing with multi-user facilities that include flow cytometry, confocal and video imaging microscopy, automated DNA sequencing, protein isolation, recombinant DNA technology, microarray technology, and small animal experimentation and imaging.

The successful candidate must be eligible for and obtain a license with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta, an appointment to the Alberta Health Services Medical Staff, and medical privileges in the Edmonton Zone.

Further information can be found at the Department of Oncology and the Cancer Care, Alberta Health Services websites: <http://www.oncology.med.ualberta.ca/>, <http://www.albertahealthservices.ca/>

This position is available now and the search will continue until a suitable candidate is found. Please submit an application and three letters of reference in confidence to:

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We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those individuals selected for an interview will be contacted. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Alberta and Alberta Health Services hire on the basis of merit. We are committed to the principle of equity in employment. We welcome diversity and encourage applications from all qualified women and men, including persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities and Aboriginal persons.