

The Department of Medicine, University of Calgary and Alberta Health Services (AHS), Calgary Zone, invite applications for a position as a clinician researcher in the Division of Respiratory Medicine as a Clinical Assistant or Clinical Associate Professor, based on qualifications and experience. A candidate with a proven research track record as an independent investigator will be considered for appointment at a Clinical Associate Professor level.

The successful candidate should have research experience in health economics, administrative databases, and/or clinical epidemiology. They must have a proven record of excellence in research as demonstrated by scholarly publications; and the ability to compete successfully for peer-review funding. Consideration will also be given to candidates with a research track record in sleep or exercise physiology. Preference will be given to candidates with an MSc, and interest in graduate student supervision. This position provides 50% protected time for research. Qualifications include an MD, FRCPC Respirology, and eligibility for licensure in the Province of Alberta. It is expected that the incumbent will be appointed to a major clinical Faculty position within the Division of Respiratory Medicine, Department of Medicine at the University of Calgary.

The candidate will be based at the Rockyview General Hospital, Calgary, Alberta and will participate in respirology call coverage, rounds, and local clinical programs. Our clinical focus is in COPD management, specialized pulmonary diagnostics, and cardiopulmonary exercise testing/pulmonary rehabilitation. Our area of academic interest is in epidemiology and health services research, with many members holding cross-appointments in the Department of Community Health Sciences. The Department provides academic and clinical services across 5 teaching hospital sites and in several ambulatory care settings serving over 1.8 million residents.

An attractive remuneration and benefits package through the University of Calgary-Alberta Health Services Alternate Relationship Plan will apply, and is competitive with fee-for-service billings. Salary range \$280,000 to \$330,000. The successful candidate will be responsible for purchasing his / her own health and insurance benefits. Other incentives include the retention benefit program in partnership with the Alberta Medical Association (AMA) and AHS as well as the AMA Continuing Medical Education (CME) program that reimburses physicians for educational expenses up to an annual allotment of \$2656.00.

To succeed as one of Canada's top universities, where new ideas are created, tested and applied through first-class teaching and research, the University of Calgary needs more of the best minds in our classrooms and labs. We're increasing our scholarly capacity by investing in people who want to change the world, bringing the best and brightest to Calgary to form a global intellectual hub and achieve advances that matter to everyone. The university has a clear strategic direction called Eyes High, inspired by our Gaelic motto, which translates to 'I will lift up my eyes'.

Named a cultural capital of Canada and one of the best places to live in the world, Calgary is a city of leaders - in business, community, philanthropy and volunteerism. Calgarians enjoys more days of sunshine per year than any other major Canadian city. Calgary is less than an hour's drive from the majestic Rocky Mountains and boasts the most extensive urban pathway and bikeway network in North America.

Please submit curriculum vitae, cover letter, a statement of research interests, and the names of three referees by October 15, 2016 to:

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The University of Calgary and Alberta Health Services believes that a respectful workplace, equal opportunity and building a diverse workforce contribute to the richness of the environment for teaching, learning and research, and provide staff, faculty, students and the public with a university that reflects the society it serves. We encourage all qualified applicants to apply, however preference will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

In this connection, at the time of your application, please answer the following questions: Are you legally entitled to work in Canada (Yes/No) and are you a Canadian citizen or a permanent resident of Canada? (Yes/No)