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ASSOCIATE HEAD OF PHYSICS

The Ottawa Hospital

Ottawa, Ontario



The Ottawa Hospital is recruiting an Associate Head of Physics to help lead a dynamic team of 17 physicists who provide clinical support for the Radiation Medicine Program. Reporting to the Head of Physics, the Associate Head of Physics supports the Cancer Program by providing operational oversight of the day-to-day clinical activities of the physics department and advises the program on strategic priorities.

The Medical Physics team is active in teaching and research, and the successful candidate should be eligible for appointment to the Division of Medical Physics at the University of Ottawa at the Associate or Full Professor level. Graduate student supervision is possible through adjunct research appointments at Carleton University. A CAMPEP-accredited Medical Physics Residency Program graduates 1-2 physicists per year.

The Ottawa Hospital operates one of the largest radiation medicine programs in Canada, treating approximately 5000 patients every year at its General Campus and at the Irving Greenberg Family Cancer Centre. Treatment is provided on 10 Elekta linear accelerators, a Cyberknife, and a Tomotherapy HDA platform. A new Cyberknife S7 and Elekta Unity MR-Linac will be installed in the next year. The program also boasts an active and growing brachy therapy



service, its own MR Simulator and three CT Simulators. Treatment planning is performed on Elekta Monaco, Accuray Precision, and Raystation.

As the capital of Canada, the City of Ottawa is home to close to one million people and is the fourth largest municipality in the country. With a vibrant technology sector, high median household income and affordable living costs, Ottawa is a great place to live, work and play.

Candidates should hold a graduate degree (Ph.D. preferred) in Medical Physics; have a minimum of eight years of clinical experience, with 5 years leadership experience in a clinical environment. Preference will be given to applicants with demonstrated research skills who are Fellows of CCPM.

If you are passionate about what you do, motivated by improving the health of the community, excited by leading-edge medical technology, and as committed to excellence, quality and patient safety as we are, we would like to hear from you

Additional information about the position may be obtained from: Miller MacPherson, Ph.D., FCCPM, Head of Physics, The Ottawa Hospital, mmacpherson@toh.ca.

Qualified applicants should submit their application through The Ottawa Hospital job board by June 7, 2023.

Submit application to: <https://www.ottawahospital.on.ca/en/career-opportunities/> and refer to **Job ID 93096**.