



Leader, Radiation Safety

Job Posting for Diagnostic Medical Physicist



Purpose:

Island Health is looking to hire **a Diagnostic Medical Physicist who also has a Nuclear Medicine or MRI background** to join the medical imaging department on Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

Context:

Island Health offers programs and services on the unceded and traditional territories of the Coast Salish, Nuuchah-nulth, and Kwakwaka'wakw Peoples.

As a signatory to the 2015 Declaration of Commitment to Cultural Safety and Cultural Humility, Island Health is committed to addressing the ongoing impacts of colonialism and Indigenous-specific racism in order to provide a culturally safe, inclusive, healthy and respectful environment.

The organization is committed to strengthening diversity, equity and inclusion to enable excellence in health and care for everyone, everywhere, every time. Through these commitments, Island Health strives to deliver the highest possible standard of care and to promote safe workplaces.

Island Health a system of approximately 24 hospitals and clinical sites, with 60 radiologists, and 600 technologists have been approved for a second Diagnostic Medical Physicist position. Given the current physicist's background in Diagnostic Radiological Physics and Mammography, **we are looking for a Medical Physicist with Nuclear Physics and or Magnetic Resonance Imaging in addition to Diagnostic Radiological Physics training.**

Island Health was one of the first hospitals in the province to have a 3T, we also have mobile MRI and 7 stationary 1.5 magnets. Nuclear Medicine departments are located at Royal Jubilee Hospital and Victoria General Hospital in Victoria, Nanaimo General Hospital and Comox Valley Hospital. Island Health has recently received licensure to perform radio-embolization in Victoria, using Yttrium 90 with plans to expand the scope of clinical applications in the Nuclear Medicine department.

As part of the Medical Physics team, there are three Quality Control Technologists with MRT background who work closely with the medical physicists in acceptance/ annual testing of equipment, and quality control data collection and monitoring.

The posting linked below allows for individuals who have had experience within a Medical Imaging department and are in process of working towards Certification in Diagnostic Imaging, Nuclear Medicine or MRI Medical Physics. It is required that the individual has completed a Master's degree in Medical Physics, and it is advantageous if they have board certification (CCPM, ABR or equivalent)

Apply through our VIHire Process included in the link below

<https://islandhealth.hua.hrsmart.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/177783>

Please reach out for information about working and living on Vancouver Island; there is relocation assistance available to assist with moving expenses.

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