

Assistant Professor (Clinical)

Faculty of Medicine – Department of Pediatrics, Division of Pediatric Endocrinology, The Montreal Children's Hospital (MUHC)

Position description

The Department of Pediatrics of McGill University and the Montreal Children's Hospital (MCH) of the McGill University Health Center (MUHC) seeks applicants in the Division of Endocrinology for a full-time Faculty position as Assistant Professor (Clinical).

Through excellence and leadership, the Department of Pediatrics mission is to optimize the health & wellbeing of infants, children, and youth within the context of their families. This includes clinical care covering a complete range of secondary and sub-specialty tertiary clinical services that addresses the health needs of vulnerable and complexly ill children. These clinical services are delivered in community settings, as well as in the out-patient clinics, in-patient wards and intensive care units (neonatal & pediatric) of the Montreal Children's Hospital and our partners in the McGill network of health service delivery. In addition, the Department has an educational mandate to train the next generation of health professionals at undergraduate, post-graduate and fellowship levels. Research, whether it be basic, clinical or translational that adds to the sum of what we know about health, wellbeing and disease of our pediatric population, is also actively engaged in with the collective effort directed at improving the quality of life, activity and participation of children in society.

Our service provides a full range of endocrinology service through a multidisciplinary team approach. We have excellent clinical programs in diabetes, obesity, disorders of sexual development, transgender issues, bone metabolism and general endocrine disorders.

The Division is currently comprised of 8 academic and clinical McGill faculty, trainees, and staff. The oncall rotas and clinical responsibilities are shared equitably among the division members. All candidates must be bilingual (French/English) and eligible for licensure in Quebec.

The successful candidate will have completed a minimum of 3 years of fellowship training in pediatric endocrinology. In addition to skills in clinical pediatric endocrinology and diabetes, and royal college certification, competitive candidates should have an interest in academic pursuits. They must have a well-defined clinical or basic science research program and strong medical education skills. They must have completed or will complete additional research training and/or a graduate degree with a research component (I.e., MSc epidemiology). Clinician innovators who are developing novel clinical approaches or methods are also encouraged to apply.

Job Duties

Call is divided evenly amongst the pediatric endocrinologists. We currently cover 7 weeks a year. Call responsibilities include coverage of in patients and out patients at the Montreal Children's Hospital. We also provide coverage of the neonatal nursery in the Royal Victoria Hospital and the Jewish General Hospital in addition to providing consultation by telephone for Gatineau, Val Dor and other centers in Quebec. Supervision of house staff (Fellows, residents and medical students) is required for both on service team and in external clinics. Outpatient endocrinology clinics take place in the hospital setting and in private offices around Montreal. In the hospital, there are weekly ½ day clinics in diabetes in addition to ½ day clinics in general endocrinology. Research is strongly encouraged and supported. Dependent on the applicant's experience, protected time can be arranged.

Qualifications and Education requirements

The ideal candidate for this position will be an MD in Endocrinology with at least 3 years of fellowship training. Applicants who demonstrate the ability to independently initiate, conduct and manage a research program will be highly valued. The incumbent should have an excellent track record of peer-reviewed funding and publications. The ideal candidate should also possess excellent leadership skills, and strong communication and writing skills in both French and English.

JOB DETAILS

Job Type:	Contract Academic Staff (Clinical)
Rank:	Assistant Professor
Job status:	Full-time
Salary:	Remuneration will be according to Quebec health care fee schedule
Posting period:	Please submit your application within 30 days of the publication date.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please forward your application consisting of a signed letter of interest and curriculum vitae to:

Dr. Laurent Legault Director, Division of Pediatric Endocrinology Montreal Children's Hospital E-Mail: <u>laurent.legault@muhc.mcgill.ca</u>

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McGill further recognizes and fairly considers the impact of leaves (e.g., family care or health-related) that may contribute to career interruptions or slowdowns. Candidates are encouraged to signal any leave that affected productivity, may have had an effect on their career path. This information will be considered to ensure the equitable assessment of the candidate's record.

McGill implements an employment equity program and encourages members of designated equity groups to self-identify. It further seeks to ensure the equitable treatment and full inclusion of persons with disabilities by striving for the implementation of universal design principles transversally, across all facets of the University community, and through accommodation policies and procedures. Persons with disabilities who anticipate needing accommodations for any part of the application process may contact, in confidence, Professor Angela Campbell, Associate Provost (Equity and Academic Policies) by email or phone at 514-398-1660.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.