

## Temporary - Lawson, Research Assistant -Department of Critical Care Medicine Research

**Job ID** 67919 **Location** University Hospital **Full/Part Time** Full-Time **Regular/Temporary** Temporary

### Posting Period

**Open:** October 1, 2019

**Deadline:** October 7, 2019

The clinical research program in Critical Care Medicine at University Hospital seeks a highly motivated person-oriented individual to assume the position of Research Assistant. The successful candidate will work under the direction of Dr. Adrian Owen and Dr. Marat Slessarev. There is a broad range of responsibilities, with a focus on the screening and enrolment of patients in the intensive care unit into new and on-going neurocritical care research studies. Day-to-day duties related to the position include: pre-screening potential ICU study participants based on specific study inclusion/exclusion criteria, liaising with clinical staff and research scientists about study participants, conducting informed consent procedures with participants and/or substitute decision makers, explaining technical study procedures in non-technical terms to patients and families, scheduling research procedures, and performing regulatory submissions and study source documentation.

**Non-Union** Different terms and conditions of employment may apply to externally funded positions.

**Rate of Pay:** To Commensurate with experience

**Hours of Work:** 37.5 hours per week

**Duration:** Temporary 1 year contract with possibility of renewal

### Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in health-related field is preferred however equivalent qualification/ work experience will be considered;
- Requires excellent interpersonal, organizational and planning skills to work effectively in a high pressure environment and have the ability to deal with confidential matters;
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in English. Ability to communicate effectively general and scientific information both verbally and in writing at all levels;
- Ability to work independently and make decisions. Good judgement, initiative, tact and professional attitude in the workplace;
- Adaptable, flexible and resourceful. Ability to multi-task and meet deadlines;
- Willingness and initiative to learn new skills
- Prior clinical trials experience is an asset
- Prior clinical experience in the Acute Care environment (ICU, ED, OR) is a strong asset
- Proficiency in computer applications (Word, Excel, Outlook) and computer data entry
- Experience working in an academic/research environment
- Training in ICH/GCP guidelines, Tri-Council Policy, and related certifications
- Familiarity with Lawson policies and procedures an asset
- Demonstrated knowledge of and commitment to the principles of patient and family centred care
- Demonstrated knowledge of and commitment to patient and staff safety at LHSC
- Demonstrated ability to attend work on a regular basis

### Immunization Requirements:

- Provide vaccination records or proof of immunity against measles, mumps, rubella and varicella (chicken pox), Hepatitis B, Tetanus/ Diphtheria/Polio; Meningitis.
- Provide documentation of the Tuberculosis skin testing (two step)

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request. As part of the assessment process applicants may be required to complete a written examination or test. Please be advised that a reference check may be conducted as part of the selection process. Your interest in this opportunity is appreciated. Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. Successful candidates, as a condition of job offer, would be required to provide a satisfactory police information check (original document) completed in the last 3 months.