

## **Infectious Disease Clinician with Special Expertise in Infection Prevention and Control**

The Department of Medicine (<http://www.departmentofmedicine.com>) in the Cumming School of Medicine, University of Calgary and Alberta Health Services (<http://www.albertahealthservices.ca>) invites applications to a position as an Infectious Disease Clinician with specific expertise and experience in Infection Prevention and Control (IPC).

Candidates must have evidence of strong clinical training and performance in the investigation and management of infectious diseases and their clinical mimics. The successful candidate will also be an individual who has specific expertise in infection prevention and control. Specifically, this individual will be experienced in the function and mandate of hospital-based IPC programs.

Primary clinical responsibilities will at various times include: providing inpatient general infectious disease consultancy services (including weekend & night call), practicing within a busy but highly effective outpatient antimicrobial treatment program. The ability to work collaboratively with other infectious diseases/medical microbiology colleagues is a requirement, and the successful applicant will be expected to be a regular contributor to ID section rounds and presentations. Remuneration for general infectious disease work will be through a Fee-For -Service mechanism and range from a 0.5-0.75 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) - based on the needs/desires of the successful recruit.

The successful candidate will become a medical co-lead of Infection Prevention Control Program of the Foothills Medical Centre (including the newly built, state-of-the-art Tom Baker Cancer Centre), one of the largest hospital complexes in Canada. The successful candidate will work together with a highly skilled team of IPC Professionals and leaders, in partnership with an experienced IPC physician co-lead. Working collaboratively and in parallel with other site leads, and partners across the Province of Alberta is expected. The Infection Prevention and Control portion of the role is equivalent to a 0.25 FTE and will be reimbursed through a direct-source contract with Alberta Health Services.

Alberta Health Services operates five teaching hospitals in the city of Calgary, including the Foothills Medical Centre. Clinicians are expected to be competent and engaged teachers for a range of medical trainees (i.e. medical students, off-service residents, internal medicine residents and infectious disease sub-speciality residents), inspiring the next generation of physicians. AHS serves 1.8 million residents of Southern Alberta, Southeastern British Columbia and Southwestern Saskatchewan. The Department of Medicine provides academic and clinical services in an integrated manner across all of the hospital sites and in several ambulatory care settings.

The Department of Medicine, Cumming School of Medicine, University of Calgary and Calgary Zone, Alberta Health Service seeks to recruit and retain a diverse and inclusive workforce that will contribute to creating the future of health. We are committed to fostering diversity through cultivating an environment where people with a variety of backgrounds, genders, interests, and talents feel welcome and supported.

Interested individuals are encouraged to submit an application online and include the following:

- Cover letter
- Curriculum vitae
- The names and contact information for three referees

For full application details please see;

<https://doctorjobsalberta.albertahealthservices.ca/jobs/infectious-disease-clinician-with-special-expertise-in-infection-prevention-and-control-1456>

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