University Health Service (UHS) at the University of Rochester invites inquiries, applications, and nominations for the position of full time faculty physician, Medical Chief.

About the University

Founded in 1850, the University of Rochester is one of the nation’s leading research universities and is the cultural, artistic, and educational leader for the region. The University’s motto, Meliora, embodies the goals of the University, which are to “learn, discover, heal, create – and make the world ever better.” The University is a member of the prestigious Association of American Universities and is regularly ranked in the top 35 national universities by US News and World Report. Under President Seligman’s decade-long leadership, the University has completed two strategic plans and embarked on more than $800 million in capital projects, including research, education, medical, athletic and cultural buildings.

To learn more about the University of Rochester, please visit: http://www.rochester.edu/aboutus/

About the Position

As an integral part of the University (including an academic medical center and the world-renowned Eastman School of Music), UHS provides primary care to students and staff, and occupational healthcare to the University community.

Full-time students participate in the Student Health Program, which covers primary care visits to UHS, time-limited therapy at the University Counseling Center, and health promotion services. Employees and other members of the University community can choose a UHS physician as their primary care provider and come to UHS for their personal health care. UHS has offices on the River Campus, in the Medical Center, and at the Eastman School of Music.

Reporting to the Vice Provost and Director, UHS, the Medical Chief is responsible for a combination of direct patient care, shared on call service and
leadership activities including coordinating clinical practice, quality assurance and accreditation activities. The Medical Chief supervises a total of 5 staff physicians plus allied health personnel.

The team environment at UHS requires excellent communication skills and the ability to engage constructively in collaborative decision-making. Additional qualifications include a commitment to support and participate in ongoing UHS efforts to promote a holistic and integrated system of care. In addition, the successful candidate will have a demonstrated commitment to ensuring culturally sensitive care for individuals from a diverse variety of backgrounds.

Other duties include but are not limited to:

- Educate and counsel patients seeking health care at UHS;
- Consult with other UHS providers and community health care professionals;
- Make referrals to specialists, as appropriate;
- Supervise care and provide clinical consultation and education to UHS clinical and professional staff;
- Assure compliance with professional confidentiality according to HIPAA policies and compliance with ethical behavior standards;
- Participate as a member of the UHS Leadership Team, engaging in long-range and strategic planning, operations coordination, budget discussions, and policy and procedure development for the entire UHS;
- Participate and represent UHS at Division and University-level committees and workgroups as assigned by the Director.

The Successful Candidate

The successful candidate must have an MD or DO, current (or eligible to obtain) NYS license and eligible for a Faculty appointment in the Department of Medicine (or Family Medicine), School of Medicine & Dentistry.
The candidate’s professional experiences must include:

- 5-7 years of physician practice or an equivalent combination of education and experience from which comparable knowledge and abilities can be acquired;

- Board certification or eligibility in Internal Medicine or Family Medicine required;

- Administrative and/or leadership experience;

- Knowledge of developmental issues of adolescent/young adults, and experience working with college-age population is desirable;

- Ability to work with diverse populations;

- CQI and computerized medical records;

- Clinical teaching and/or research;

- Demonstrate commitment to diversity and inclusiveness.

How to Apply

Interested individuals should send a letter of application that relates the applicant’s skills and experiences to the stated qualifications for the position along with a Curriculum Vitae that reflects notable achievements.

Applications and nominations should be submitted electronically to UHSUR@wspelman.com. The subject line in the email should be MCUHS. Confidential inquiries should be made to Megan Spelman, Vice President, William Spelman Executive Search, at (585) 366-4329.

Confidentiality will be maintained, and references will not be contacted without prior knowledge or approval of the candidate. Review of applications will begin on December 18th, 2015 and continue until the position is filled.

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