



## Department Chief, Anesthesiology & Pain Medicine

CHEO is recruiting a Department Chief and full-time pediatric anesthesiologist to actively lead clinical care, teaching and research in the Department of Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine. As one of 8 CHEO Medical Department Chiefs, the Chief of Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine is a key medical leader within the organization. The successful candidate will oversee the quality and safety of clinical care provided by the Department, and as Co-Medical Director of Perioperative Services will work in close collaboration with the Chief of Surgery and the Director of perioperative services to co-lead the clinical Perioperative Services Patient Care leadership Team (PCLT) and participate in the CHEO led regional surgical program that utilizes operating room capacity in the region to reduce surgical wait times and deliver care closer to home.

The Department Chief also has responsibility for the administrative and academic activity of the department. In a dyad model in collaboration with their operational leaders, the position is responsible for the ongoing evaluation, design and implementation of perioperative delivery processes to provide excellence in acute care responsive to child and youth health needs.

The Department consists of 21 anesthesiologists and one pediatric anesthesia fellow with a dedicated team of anesthesia assistants affiliated with our department providing on call coverage.

The Department is an integral part of the University of Ottawa's Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada certified residency program in Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine and runs a Pediatric Anesthesiology Fellowship program. Professionalism, attention to detail and a commitment to excellence are the trademarks of our practice.

Nestled along the scenic Ottawa River, Canada's capital is a vibrant blend of history, culture, and natural beauty, offering an exceptional quality of life. As one of the country's most livable cities, Ottawa combines safe, welcoming neighborhoods with excellent schools, top-tier universities, and a thriving economy. Whether you're skating on the world's longest skating rink, exploring picturesque parks, or enjoying lively festivals, world-class museums, and a thriving culinary scene, Ottawa has something for everyone. Its diverse and inclusive community reflects the city's multicultural spirit, while year-round outdoor activities and easy access to nearby Gatineau Hills offer endless opportunities to connect with nature. With its unique balance of urban sophistication and natural charm, Ottawa is a wonderful place to call home.

CHEO is one of the few stand-alone, global leaders in pediatric health and is home to nearly 4,500 staff and physicians dedicated to helping children and youth live their best lives. Within its own walls and through partnerships with community providers, CHEO has transformed from a 20th century acute care hospital into a 21st century integrated child and youth health system. Ranked in the top 1% of Canadian hospitals for the digitization of its clinical infrastructure, CHEO combines excellence in clinical care, research, and education to advance seamless care that's provided where, when, and how it is needed. CHEO's Research Institute is dedicated to world-class clinical, translational, and basic science research covering a wide range of children's health concerns. CHEO has twice been named as the best place to work in Canadian healthcare by Forbes Magazine and is ranked second among Canadian hospitals on its list of Canada's Best Employers for 2021. For the 10th consecutive year in a row, the editors of Canada's

Top 100 Employers has recognized CHEO as a top employer in the National Capital Region. Every year CHEO helps more than 500,000 children and youth from Eastern Ontario, western Quebec, Nunavut and Northern Ontario.

#### Our Commitment to Diversity

Ottawa is built on un-ceded Algonquin Anishinabek territory. The peoples of the Algonquin Anishinabek Nation have lived on this territory for millennia and we honour them and this land. Their culture and presence have nurtured and continue to nurture this land. CHEO also honours all First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples and their valuable past and present contributions to this land.

CHEO is an equal opportunity employer. Our organization values diversity, both in the children and families we serve and among our employees. We take pride in fostering an inclusive environment where everyone is encouraged to be part of our team and contribute to our culture. We strongly encourage applications from individuals, including Indigenous peoples, those who identify as LGBTQI, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, and others who may contribute to further diversification of ideas.

CHEO invites applications from candidates who have strong operational and academic leadership skills and a proven record of achievement in comprehensive patient care, clinical program development, education, research, and/or quality assurance. Candidates must be eligible for a full-time academic appointment in the Faculty of Medicine, University of Ottawa at a rank commensurate to their experience and academic contributions. While English is the language of the health record, functionality in French is an asset.

Qualified candidates are invited to forward their letter of intent and CV to

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