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Job Posting for:

**Executive Vice President, Research and Development, Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre
and
Chief Scientist, Thunder Bay Regional Health Research Institute**

With patients and families at the centre of everything we do, the Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre (the Hospital) is an academic specialized regional acute care facility. We provide care to the residents of Northwestern Ontario, a region the size of France with over 250,000 residents.

We are committed to teaching the next generation of health care providers and advancing health research. The Hospital is the teaching placement of choice for over 1,500 learners from the Northern Ontario School of Medicine (NOSM), Lakehead University, Confederation College, and other partnering academic institutions. Patients benefit from inter-professional teams of health care providers and access to leading-edge medical equipment, clinical trials and health services innovation.

The Thunder Bay Regional Health Research Institute (the Institute) is the research arm of the Hospital. Our scientists work closely with physicians and other clinicians, as well as academic and industry partners, to enhance research to improve the health outcomes of the people of Northwestern Ontario and beyond. Research is advanced through discovery and development of new imaging and other technologies, clinical trials and understanding of Indigenous Health and other pertinent matters.

With a leadership approach that is responsive, collaborative, and results-oriented, the incumbent filling this dual role will engage researchers across the Hospital and the Institute, cultivating an environment that fosters the growth and expansion of research.

Job Summary:

Reporting to the President and CEO, the Executive Vice President, Research and Development and Chief Scientist provides overall research leadership and strategic direction to the Institute. This position is responsible for a variety of internal and external multi-funding sources that are significant to the continued success of the Institute. Further, this position will develop and implement the scientific directions for the Institute, create business plans, and recruit and retain scientific staff required to foster research and insure the overall success of the Institute.

The Executive Vice President, Research and Development is responsible for all aspects of research executed within and by the Hospital. The incumbent will also participate extensively in Hospital planning activities. The successful candidate must be eligible to apply for Adjunct Faculty Status at Lakehead University in a department that aligns with their academic and research background. This may also include an appointment at the Northern Ontario School of Medicine (NOSM) as applicable.

Qualifications:

The incumbent will have outstanding credentials in research and academic leadership. He/she will exhibit a history of commitment to inter-professional collaboration and possess experience in leading research enterprises through positive relationships with other strategic partners, funding agencies, government, and the research community. He/she will possess an appropriate PhD, or equivalent MD degree plus MSc degree. A minimum of 10 years experience as an internationally/nationally recognized health researcher, in a leadership role in one or more University/hospital sectors is preferred.

The incumbent will be experienced and adept at strategic planning and partnership development, as well as a persuasive speaker and presenter, with the ability to defend complex issues and implement corporate strategic goals and objectives at all levels of the organization. He/she must have the ability to speak, write and read in English. French language skill-set is considered an asset. The incumbent must be available to travel.

To be considered for this position, please send your resume with a cover letter no later than 1630 hours on June 22, 2018, to www.jobs.tbrhsc.net, referencing #18NON048.

We thank all candidates for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.
We are an equal opportunity employer.