



PSYCHIATRIST – St. Joseph’s Care Group

St. Joseph’s Care Group (SJCG) in Thunder Bay, ON is seeking a Psychiatrist to support Seniors’ Outpatient Services and the Geriatric Psychiatry Consultation Liaison Service. SJCG is the largest single provider of mental health and addictions services in Northwestern Ontario. Located on Lake Superior’s north shore and surrounded by the beauty of nature, Thunder Bay offers a perfect balance of urban and rural life.

Our program provides a range of geriatric services including community outreach, residential care, outpatient clinics, consultation liaison, and telemedicine. As a member of our interprofessional team, the geriatric psychiatrist works collaboratively with geriatricians, geriatric psychiatrist, social work, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, nursing, psychology, dietitian, pharmacy, therapeutic recreation and nurse practitioner. In this role, there is also the expectation of contributing to teaching opportunities with residents and medical students affiliated with NOSM (Northern Ontario School of Medicine). Locum opportunities also available during the recruitment period.

Qualifications:

- Currently registered with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario
- Fellow of Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada or eligible
- Doctorate in Medicine
- Coverage with the Canadian Medical Protective Association
- Royal College of Physicians of Canada (FRCPC) certification in Geriatric Psychiatry is preferred however candidates with demonstrated interest and experience in geriatric psychiatry will be considered

St. Joseph’s Care Group Highlights – “Care, Compassion, Commitment”

- Combine tradition and innovation in responding to the unmet needs of the people of Northwestern Ontario since 1884.
- Offer a broad range of programs and services in Addictions & Mental Health, Rehabilitative Care, and Seniors’ Health across 8 sites in the City of Thunder Bay.

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Balmoral Centre
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Sister Leila Greco
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St. Joseph’s Health Centre
 (807) 624-3400

Hogarth Riverview Manor
 (807) 625-1110

Sister Margaret Smith
 Centre
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St. Joseph’s Heritage
 (807) 768-4400

- New East Wing of St. Joseph's Hospital housing 38 private rooms for inpatient specialized mental health rehabilitation as well as common living and dining spaces to assist in the rehabilitation process.
- Psychiatry services reaching to the high-need areas of the province and Indigenous communities and agencies.
- Over 2,200 staff and growing.
- Accredited with Exemplary Standing, the highest level awarded by Accreditation Canada.
- Use technology to help overcome challenges to healthcare including the sheer size of Northwestern Ontario to bring care closer to the people we serve.
- Northwestern Ontario regional lead for Rehabilitative Care, Behavioural Supports, ECHO Pain, eConsult, and Palliative Care.
- Coupling research with mobilization, our Centre for Applied Health Research (CAHR) supports internal and external staff and clinicians through expertise, project consultation and knowledge translation.
- Continue to advance a self-management approach to care, and we are involving our clients more closely in their own care decisions to achieve the health outcomes that are important to them.

SJCG by the numbers:

- Annual operating budget of just over \$181 million
- Two long-term care homes totaling 656 beds
- Two supportive housing buildings with 253 apartments
- 224 complex/rehabilitative care and hospice inpatient beds
- 38 inpatient mental health rehabilitation beds
- 22 crisis and stabilization beds for withdrawal management

The ideal candidate must be eligible for an independent licence to practice in Ontario and hold a Fellowship with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada with specialization in Psychiatry.

If you enjoy the benefits of work life balance that a smaller centre can offer, with the benefit of working in a full treatment centre with academic opportunities, come join us in the North!

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Qualified candidates are encouraged to submit a letter of application and curriculum vitae to:

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