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BC Women's Hospital & Health Centre (BCW) is the only facility in British Columbia devoted primarily to the health of women, newborns, and families. In addition to being one of the largest maternity facilities in Canada, it provides a broad range of specialized health services that address the health needs of women and families of all ages and backgrounds. BC Women's also supports specialty programs that serve both women and men such as its HIV, Osteoporosis, and Medical Genetics Programs. As an academic health centre, BCW's mandate includes providing strong leadership in research and the education and professional development of health care professionals in areas related to the health of the populations it serves.

BC Women's is an agency of the **Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA)**, which plans, manages, and evaluates selected specialty and province-wide health care services across BC. PHSA embodies values that reflect a commitment to excellence. These include: *Patients first • Best value • Results matter • Excellence through knowledge • Open to possibilities.*

Physicians – Complex Chronic Medicine

Complex Chronic Diseases Program (CCDP)

BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

UBC Faculty of Medicine

Vancouver, BC

Part Time (0.05-0.4 FTE, to be determined based on availability)

The Complex Chronic Diseases Program (CCDP) is a multidisciplinary program that treats patients with Lyme disease, Fibromyalgia and Myalgic Encephalomyelitis /Chronic Fatigue Syndrome. Reporting to the Medical Director of the CCDP and the Department Head, Anesthesia, Family Practice, Medicine, or Pediatrics as appropriate at BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre, the physician will assume both clinical responsibility for patients and participation in the educational, academic, and provincial mandates of the newly established Complex Chronic Diseases Program at BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre.

We are currently seeking multiple physicians to enhance our interdisciplinary team within the CCDP. In this role, you will apply current research evidence and best practice standards to address the medical needs of patients referred to the CCDP. The position will require you to be innovative, accountable, and deliver quality care in accordance with established policies and philosophies. The scope of your duties will extend to participation in major clinical activities and research within the hospital.

Candidates will be registered with or eligible for registration with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia or the College of Naturopathic Medicine of British Columbia. They will have specialty training in one or more of the following areas: Internal Medicine, Rheumatology, Infectious Diseases, Physiatry, Neurology, Psychiatry, Anesthesiology, Pediatrics and its relevant subspecialties, Naturopathic Medicine, or Family Medicine with subspecialty interest/training in complex chronic medicine. The ideal candidate will also have or be eligible for a faculty appointment at the University of British Columbia or equivalent.

Applications will be accepted until November 30th, 2012.

Applications, accompanied by a detailed curriculum vitae, selected reprints, statement of clinical and research interests, and names of three references, should be sent to:

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Discover more about BC Women's and all we have to offer by visiting us at www.bcwomens.ca.

BC Women's Hospital & Health Centre is committed to employment equity and hire on the basis of merit. We encourage applications from all qualified individuals, including women, Aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities and members of visible minorities. Canadians and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.



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