

Clinical Psychologist – Transgender Health Services (Klinik) University of Manitoba & WHRA

The Department of Clinical Health Psychology, Max Rady College of Medicine, University of Manitoba in collaboration with the Clinical Health Psychology Program of the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority (WRHA) and Klinik Community Health Centre invite applications for a Contingent Geographic Full-Time (GFT) Clinical Psychologist (**Position #30044**), with a flexible start date, ideally **August 1, 2021** or as soon as possible after. The position integrates clinical and academic roles (typically 80% clinical; 20% applied research/clinical teaching). The successful applicant will be appointed to the Medical Staff of the WRHA and will be appointed to the Department of Clinical Health Psychology, Max Rady College of Medicine at the rank commensurate with experience, typically Assistant Professor.

Based at Klinik Community Health Centre, the successful applicant would join a dynamic inter-professional team in the Transgender Health Service, which includes physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, medical assistants, social workers, and peer supporters. The psychologist will provide clinical assessments, psychological treatment, clinical program development, and consultation. Klinik provides a full range of health-related services from medical care to counselling and education. Klinik is rooted in social justice values and promotes health and quality of life for people of every age, background, ethnicity, gender identity, and socio-economic circumstance.

Position Responsibilities:

- Clinical services to adults, including:
 - Diagnostic psychological assessments related to gender dysphoria and medical treatments
 - Psychological assessments (cognitive and psychodiagnostic) for other related or identified needs
 - Individual and group interventions for related psychological concerns
- Development of innovative clinical and community programming for the Transgender Health Services
- Consultation to other health professionals and programs, including working collaboratively as member of the Transgender Health Clinic team
- Applied clinical research and program evaluation
- Clinical supervision and teaching of psychology residents in our CPA-accredited residency program; teaching of medical students and learners from other health professions; continuing professional education of health professionals in facilities and in the community
- May involve occasional travel to other health regions for clinical or community outreach services

Qualifications:

- Doctoral degree (PhD or PsyD) in Clinical Psychology from a CPA or APA-accredited training program; and completion of a CPA or APA-accredited internship/residency.
- Eligible for registration* or a member in good standing as a Psychologist (C. Psych.) with the Psychological Association of Manitoba www.cpmb.ca
- Education, training and experience in diagnostic evaluation, and administration and interpretation of standard adult psychodiagnostic and cognitive psychological tests and measures.
- Education, training and experience in evidence-based psychological treatments, and individual & group treatment delivery for common mental health conditions
- Clinical experience with gender dysphoria and transgender individuals is an asset
- Excellent interpersonal relationship skills, oral and written communication, and inter-professional teamwork skills
- Satisfactory results of pre-employment criminal record, child and adult abuse registry, and vulnerable persons checks
- Maintains professional liability insurance

Salary and Benefits:

- Placement on WRHA salary scale will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.
- Attractive benefits package is available through the University of Manitoba.

- The GFT agreement provides the opportunity for on-site private practice.
- *Supervision will be provided by the CHP Program for individuals registered at the C.Psych. Candidate level, until completion of registration requirements for independent practice as a C.Psych.

Clinical Health Psychology (CHP) is unique in Canada, being both an academic department in the Max Rady College of Medicine and a regional clinical program, providing clinical services across a range of hospital and community settings. As a member of CHP, the Psychologist joins a large team of dedicated psychologist colleagues across the province who provide consultation and mentorship to the group. For more information about our academic department, visit: https://umanitoba.ca/faculties/health_sciences/medicine/units/clinical_health_psych/
To learn more about the CHP Program and the Winnipeg health region, visit: <https://wrha.mb.ca/psychology/>
For more information about Klinik, visit: <http://klinik.mb.ca/>

The University of Manitoba is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from women, racialized persons, Indigenous Peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of all sexual orientations and genders, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. If you require accommodation supports during the recruitment process, please contact U of M's Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Facilitator, Valerie Williams at Valerie.williams@umanitoba.ca or 204-474-8371. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

Interested persons should apply in writing referring to **Position #30044**, including curriculum vitae, and the names and contact information of three references to:

Dr. Lesley Graff, Chair - Search Committee
Head and Medical Director, Clinical Health Psychology,
PZ350-771 Bannatyne Avenue
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Email: rperinot@hsc.mb.ca

Application materials, including letters of reference, will be handled in accordance with the protection of privacy provisions of "*The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (Manitoba)*". Please note that curricula vitae may be provided to participating members of the search process.

Priority will be given to candidates who apply by **March 22, 2021**. Applications will continue to be accepted until the position is filled.