

Clinical Health Psychology Program Clinical Psychologist

Behaviour Resource and Consultation Team (BRaCT) and/or Generalist-Adult Services

Requisition ID: 301901

Time: 1.0 (or 0.5) EFT Permanent **Start Date:** As soon as possible

The Clinical Health Psychology (CHP) Program has an opening for a clinical psychologist to join our large regional team in Winnipeg, Manitoba. The CHP Program is responsible for psychological services in WRHA and Shared Health sites across the lifespan, from the very young to the elderly. The Program is dedicated to providing timely, evidence-based psychological consult, assessment, and treatment for a range of mental health and acute & chronic medical conditions, in health region settings that span hospitals, health centres, and primary care clinics.

The Clinical Health Psychology Program is seeking an experienced Clinical Psychologist to provide leadership in a community-based team (Behaviour Resource and Consultation Team - BRaCT) which provides behavior management plans and implementation guidance for support staff who work with adults with chronic, complex mental health presentations. In this 0.5 EFT role, the Psychologist would provide clinical evaluation, behavioral plan development, and consultation for implementation to community clinicians and support workers who provide care to individuals with behavior challenges (e.g. verbal and physical aggression, medication adherence) in supportive housing. The role also includes clinical consultation to other mental health professionals in the housing support community and long-term care community who provide services on behalf of the WRHA; the role can involve service development as well as staff training to facilitate capacity building.

The position can be flexibly expanded to full time with an additional 0.5 EFT in **Generalist-Adult Services** to provide assessment and evidence-based treatment, rotating approximately annually in clinical areas, related to service needs in the CHP Program. The Psychologist provides psychodiagnostic and cognitive assessments, clinical evaluation, and individual or group treatment for a range of clinical conditions. The CHP program offers supervision and mentoring to facilitate mastery in newer areas of practice. The role also involves clinical consultation to other health professionals.

For both roles there may be opportunities for clinical teaching with residents in our CPA-accredited residency training program.

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

- Registered or eligible to be registered as a C. Psych. by the Psychological Association of Manitoba. The Clinical Health Psychology Program will provide the required clinical supervision for individuals who are at the C. Psych. Candidate level until they are licensed for independent practice as a C. Psych.
- Education, training and experience with mental health conditions and intellectual disability
- Education, training and clinical experience with behavioural management planning and implementation
- Education, training and experience in diagnostic evaluation and cognitive assessment, including the administration and interpretation of standard adult psychodiagnostic and cognitive tests and measures
- Education, training and clinical experience in evidence-based psychological treatments for adults, including experience with treatment delivery in both group and individual format; health psychology experience an asset
- Experience with consultation to other health care providers and clinical teams
- Excellent interpersonal, communication, and inter-professional teamwork skills

Salary and Benefits:

- Placement on WRHA salary scale commensurate with qualifications and experience; attractive benefits package.
- 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.

Current professional liability insurance and satisfactory Criminal Record check, including Vulnerable Sector search, Adult and Child Abuse Registry checks, are conditions of employment.

Clinical Health Psychology is unique in Canada, being both a regional clinical program and an academic department in the Max Rady College of Medicine, University of Manitoba, with a strong collegial network of psychologists within Winnipeg and across the province.

To learn more about the CHP Program and the Winnipeg health region:

https://wrha.mb.ca/psychology/ To learn more about our CHP academic department, visit: https://umanitoba.ca/medicine/department-clinical-health-psychology

You are welcome to contact Dr Lesley Graff, Provincial Medical Specialty Lead - Clinical Health Psychology, for further information through Ronda Perinot (admin assistant): (204) 787-5163 or reperinot@hsc.mb.ca

Application is through the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority career website.

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https://careers.wrha.mb.ca/job/Winnipeg-Clinical-Psychologist-2-Adult-MB/552518317/ Priority will be given to candidates who apply by **January 17, 2022.** Applications will continue to be accepted until the position is filled.