

Clinical Psychologist – Women’s Health, Health Sciences Centre Shared Health & University of Manitoba

Clinical Health Psychology (CHP), Shared Health in conjunction with the Department of Clinical Health Psychology, Max Rady College of Medicine, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Manitoba invite applications for a Geographic Full-Time (GFT, contingent) Clinical Psychologist (**Position #33618**) with a flexible start date in **Fall 2023**, and opportunity to start earlier or later if needed. This permanent position integrates clinical and academic roles (typically 80% clinical; 20% clinical teaching/applied research). The successful applicant will be appointed to the Medical Staff of Shared Health and will be appointed to the Department of Clinical Health Psychology, Max Rady College of Medicine, at the academic rank commensurate with experience, typically Assistant Professor. Current residents/interns are welcome to apply.

The position is based at Women’s Hospital, Health Sciences Centre, Winnipeg. The Clinical Psychologist, provides outpatient assessment and treatment related to perinatal mental health (e.g., postpartum depression, birth trauma, grief secondary to stillbirth or neonatal loss), and adjustment difficulties/symptom management for women’s health issues, with opportunity for inpatient medical unit consult. The successful candidate joins a compassionate team of health care professionals which includes obstetrics, gynecology, psychology, nursing, social work, dietetics, and counselling staff who work collaboratively to promote and improve women’s health. The psychologist provides leadership in clinical program development.

Clinical Health Psychology (CHP) is unique in Canada, being both an academic department in the Max Rady College of Medicine and a provincially-led clinical service in the Manitoba health system, with a mandate to provide psychological services across a range of hospital and community sites in urban and rural/northern settings. As a member of CHP, the Psychologist joins a large team of dedicated psychologist colleagues across the province who provide mentoring, consultation, and collegial support.

For more information visit: <https://umanitoba.ca/medicine/department-clinical-health-psychology>

For more information about Shared Health, visit: <https://sharedhealthmb.ca/>

Position Responsibilities:

- Psychological assessment and treatment for perinatal mental health (e.g., postpartum depression, birth trauma) and illness adjustment for medical issues
- Consultation to interdisciplinary team staff regarding psychological aspects of care
- Clinical programming development and evaluation
- Supervision of psychology residents in our CPA-accredited residency training program; teaching of medical students and other health profession learners; continuing professional education of health professionals.
- Applied clinical research.

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 for registration as a Psychologist (C.Psych.) with the Psychological Association of Manitoba www.cpmb.ca
- Education, training and experience in clinical and health psychology, including in diagnostic evaluation required; experience and training in women’s health an asset.
- Education, training and experience in evidence-based psychological treatments for common presentations such as perinatal anxiety and depression, grief, pain management, and illness adjustment, including experience with individual and group-based treatment delivery.
- Experience in consultation with interdisciplinary teams
- Excellent interpersonal relationship skills, oral and written communication, and inter-professional teamwork skills
- Training, experience and/or research background/interests in diverse cultures would be an asset.

- Satisfactory results of pre-employment criminal record, vulnerable person and child and adult abuse registry checks are required.

Salary and Benefits:

- Attractive salary schedule, with benefits package through the University of Manitoba, and relocation support.
- The Geographical Full Time (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., with subsequent consultation support.

An inclusive, open and diverse community is essential to excellence and fosters voices that have been ignored or discouraged. To address the Rady Faculty of Health Sciences commitment to equity, diversity and inclusion, and in recognition of the underrepresentation of members of historically and currently excluded groups, we take proactive measures including implicit bias training for all hiring panels. We strive for diversity and cultural safety throughout the hiring process (hiring panels, short-list of candidates, interviews). We encourage you to self-identify any aspect of diversity in your cover letter.

The University of Manitoba and Shared Health are committed to the principles of equity, diversity & inclusion and to promoting opportunities in hiring, promotion and tenure (where applicable) for systemically marginalized groups who have been excluded from full participation at the University and the larger community including Indigenous Peoples, women, racialized persons, persons with disabilities and those who identify as 2SLGBTQIA+ (Two Spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, questioning, intersex, asexual and other diverse sexual identities). All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

If you require accommodation supports during the recruitment process, please contact UM.Accommodation@umanitoba.ca or 204-474-7195. Please note this contact information is for accommodation reasons only.

Interested persons should apply in writing referring to **Position #33618**, including curriculum vitae, and provide the names and contact information of three references to:

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Max Rady College of Medicine, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Manitoba
&
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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 and other supporting documents may be provided to participating members of the search process.

Priority review will be given to candidates who apply by **July 10, 2023**. Applications will continue to be accepted until the position is filled.