

Thoracic / Cross-Sectional Radiologist Opportunity

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St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton (SJHH) seeks a permanent, full-time Thoracic/Cross-Sectional Radiologist to join our team of 16 radiologists. The successful candidate will enhance our thoracic imaging program and support our large Respiriology & Thoracic Surgery Programs. The successful candidate will participate in a multidisciplinary team environment and contribute strongly to the academic program, which includes resident and fellow education and research. Interested candidates should have completed a thoracic imaging fellowship and be proficient in performing imageguided procedures of the chest. The candidate should also be competent in other areas of general cross sectional imaging and participate in an acute on-call roster covering all modalities.

St. Joseph's Healthcare is a multi-site, acute-care 740-bed teaching hospital in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. Affiliated with McMaster University, Faculty of Health Sciences, St. Joseph's Healthcare operates as the Regional Referral Centre for Thoracic Surgery, Head and Neck Surgery, Respiriology, Hemodialysis, Nephrology and Renal Transplantation, Colorectal Surgery, Urology and Bariatric Surgery. In addition, we have a large outpatient general referral practice. The Thoracic Surgical Program at SJHH serves an area with a population of 1.8 million and is one of the largest tertiary thoracic surgery practices in Canada. There are more than 700 major thoracic surgery cases performed each year. St. Joseph's Healthcare is also home to the Firestone Institute for Respiratory Health (FIRH) which provides comprehensive inpatient and outpatient respiratory care as the regional respiriology service. We value our strong clinical relationship with our respiriology and thoracic surgical colleagues and plan to maintain and enhance imaging support for these areas in the future.

We offer a very competitive compensation package involving an initial first-year annual salary (based upon approximately 48 hours per week) of \$400,000 and thereafter increase and/or vary based upon annual OHIP Billings.

Our Diagnostic Imaging Departments provide two 1.5T MRI scanners and one 3T MRI scanner in addition to two multi-slice CT scanners. We have a busy ultrasound department with 7 ultrasound units. Research facilities at SJHH include the Imaging Research Centre with a dedicated 3T research magnet and CTPET.

Hamilton is a major academic and cultural centre lying between the shores of Lake Ontario and the Niagara Escarpment. The ethnic diversity of the City is reflected in its galleries, shops, villages & dining establishments. Hamilton is home to many festivals, concerts, sports events and its world-renowned trails and conservation areas provide opportunities for cycling and hiking. It is a safe, family-oriented community with a modest cost of living.

Successful candidates must be eligible for Ontario Licensure, hold a Royal College Certification in Diagnostic Imaging or equivalent, have completed a **12-month dedicated thoracic imaging fellowship**, possess strong academic interest and quality for a faculty appointment with McMaster University. All qualified applicants are invited to apply; however, we are obligated to give Canadians and permanent residents priority.

The successful candidate will be offered an academic rank at the appropriate level with the Faculty of Health Sciences at McMaster University. If you are interested in joining our innovative Imaging Team, please forward your current CV, letter of intent and personal statement of goals (including names of three referees) to:

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