

Research Associate - 1 position Posting #: 39376

Lawson Health Research Institute Posting Date: August 27, 2018

Submission Deadline: September 09, 2018

Part Time Julie Neilans, Human Resources

Non-Union

Term position, anticipated to extend until September 16, 2019, subject to the availability of work.

Lawson Health Research Institute is one of Canada's largest hospital-based research institutes. As the research institute of St. Joseph's Health Care, London and London Health Sciences Centre, and working in partnership with Western University, Lawson is committed to furthering scientific knowledge to advance health care around the world.

The Lawson Imaging Research Program is seeking a Regulated Health professional. The successful candidate will become part of an imaging research group working in a hospital environment. Duties will include assistance in submission of protocols to Western University Health Science Research Ethics Board, recruitment of patients and volunteers, consenting of patients and supporting patients from their first arrival at the Lawson Imaging Centre through to their assistance on leaving after completion of the imaging session. Initially the research area of interest will focus on imaging in cardio-vascular disease but may expand to neurology and oncology. Will be required to work at multiple sites throughout the city.

Responsibilities will include:

- Demonstrated excellent clinical assessment skills, for suitability of research subjects and approaching them for enrollment
- Administration of medication both orally and intravenously
- Experience in venipuncture and IV initiation
- ECG acquisition
- Monitoring for adverse events
- Participation with multidisciplinary teams
- Patient and family teaching
- Providing clinical staff education
- Interpretation of lab results
- Other duties and responsibilities as assigned

Working hours will normally be within 8:00 am to 6:00 pm Monday to Friday, however at times working will have to be done outside these hours to accommodate patient availability and imaging equipment availability

- Ability to work independently and as an effective team member

Essential Qualifications

- Candidate must consent to working with Positron Emission Tomography (PET) and Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) technology. Must be able to wear radiation personal protection.
- Post-Secondary education in research, medicine or related field
- Provide vaccination records or proof of immunity against measles, mumps, rubella and varicella
- Provide documentation of the Tuberculosis skin testing

Preferred Qualifications

- Basic Cardiac life support, Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS) an asset
- Regulated Health Care Professional who can administer IV medications
- Phlebotomy experience, setting up Iv's and IV injections
- Demonstrated computer skills in Microsoft Office Suite (Excel and Word) and email
- Communication skills with a proven ability to interpret information and provide and/or follow complex instructions
- Detail oriented
- Experience with patients with cardiac disease including coronary artery disease, heart failure and heart attack and

