

The Department of Family Medicine delivers the largest postgraduate residency program in the Faculty of Health Sciences at Queen's University through a distributed education model with its primary site at Kingston and the Thousand Islands and satellite offices in Belleville, Peterborough, and Oshawa. It is home to the Centre for Studies in Primary Care. It operates the Queen's Family Health Team located in Kingston and Belleville, an inter-professional health care centre serving the Kingston and Belleville communities.

We are currently recruiting for the following:

Research Assistant(s), Indigenous Health (12-24 months)

Two (2) casual positions for current post-graduate student pursuing a degree in health, social sciences, or a related field of study. PhD students are preferred, but Master's students with significant relevant experience will also be considered. Preference will be given to those of Indigenous ancestry with demonstrated Indigenous community involvement.

Reporting to the Principal Investigator (PI), the incumbent(s) will coordinate and conduct scientific research to support one of two projects: 1) a project focussed on centering Indigenous perspectives and priorities in the co-design and co-execution of health systems evaluation for the Frontenac, Lennox & Addington Ontario Health Team (FLA OHT), or 2) a project focussed on an organizational analysis of an Indigenous community wellness organization based in the southeast Ontario region. The Research Assistant, Indigenous Health will design and implement a research plan in collaboration with the research team, and, in the spirit of community-based research, will interact with both academic and community partners. The Research Assistant, Indigenous Health will participate in recruitment, maintaining participant records, data collection, and preliminary analysis and reporting. The Research Associate, Indigenous Health will coordinate meetings and communication between the research team (academic and community team members), the Oversight Committee, community partner organizations, and participants. Candidates must be flexible in their schedule to accommodate participant recruitment sessions and interviews at times that are convenient for participants.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Several years' of relevant experience in engaging with the history and present-day context of Indigenous peoples and Indigenous health, and in community-engaged and culturally-safe scholarship (including the principles of Ownership, Control, Access, and Possession (OCAP)).
- Demonstrated understanding of and respect for the diversity of Indigenous perspectives, histories, traditions, knowledge systems, and contemporary issues.
- Demonstrated graduate level research skills, specifically in qualitative methods, program evaluation, health systems and organizational analysis, and experience with NVivo analysis software, is considered an asset.

Please send applications or inquiries by **Wednesday, October 27, 2021** to:

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