We are accepting submissions from psychiatrists interested in a challenging and rewarding position: Psychiatrist, Rapid Access and Stabilization Program (the Program). This is a 1.0 FTE position (much of the work time providing clinical care in the Program and the rest of the work time providing other community psychiatry clinical care, as well as teaching and possibly clinically academically leading the Program depending on the successful applicant’s demonstrated experience), funded by the Academic Funding Plan of the Department of Psychiatry at Dalhousie University. The successful candidate will be appointed at the academic rank of either Assistant Professor, Associate Professor or Professor at Dalhousie University, depending on qualifications and experience. The position is available immediately.

The psychiatrist of the Rapid Access and Stabilization Program (the Program) of the Community Mental Health and Addictions (CMHA) services of the Adult Mental Health and Addictions Program (MHAP) of the Central Zone of the Nova Scotia Health Authority (CZ-NSHA), contributes to the Service’s clinical quality of care, using a person-centered evidence-based/informed and socially responsible approach. Working with the Program’s administrative leadership and with internal and external partners, such as central intake staff and primary care leadership, they champion excellence in health care and related education and innovation provided by clinicians of the Program and by others involved with the Program.

The psychiatrist reports directly to the Head of the Section of Community Psychiatry. The psychiatrist collaborates across the Program, within the framework of the principles, plans, and policies of the Section of Community Psychiatry and the CMHA services, aligned with the Department of Psychiatry and the MHAP. It is the expectation for the role that the successful candidate will support research and contribute to the education mandate of the department of psychiatry, including but not limited to serving as a preceptor for medical students, family medicine and psychiatry residents and international fellows.

Psychiatrists who are, or are eligible to be, members of the Department of Psychiatry. A job description is available to those interested in applying.

Remuneration is based upon a highly competitive Academic Funding Plan, which pays for time spent in clinical service, teaching and research. Successful candidates will receive academic rank commensurate with qualifications and experience as per university protocols.

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disability, racially visible persons, women, persons of a minority sexual orientation and/or
gender identity, and all candidates who would contribute to the diversity of our community. For
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