

**Area Medical Health Officer
Rural/Southeast Saskatchewan**

Posting Date: February 10, 2021

Remuneration: Salary (\$248,315 to \$313,095)

Benefits: Responsibility of the physician

Language of Work: English

Position Profile:

The Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA), Rural/South Area invites qualified physicians to apply for the position of Medical Health Officer (MHO). The successful applicant will join the clinical Department of Public Health and Preventive Medicine in the Southern part of the province, and a provincial department of more than 15 physicians providing MHO services on behalf of SHA. They will work collaboratively with a multidisciplinary team providing public health services primarily in the Rural/South Area of the province.

Medical Health Officers are designated by the Minister of Health and have legislated authorities and duties under The Public Health Act of Saskatchewan. SHA MHOs work on behalf of the populations of specified Health Networks and fulfill their responsibilities primarily at the Area level, with opportunities to contribute to provincial-level public health programs in a specialty area of interest.

The clinical Department and academic Department of Community Health and Epidemiology (University of Saskatchewan, College of Medicine) combines service, research and teaching components, and delivers an accredited Public Health and Preventive Medicine residency training program while also providing education at the undergraduate, graduate, and post-doctoral levels. The successful applicant is dedicated to learning and is a partner in the growing educational needs of Saskatchewan's public health workforce and has the potential to be appointed as Medical Faculty at the University of Saskatchewan, College of Medicine.

The Saskatchewan Health Authority:

The SHA is the largest organization in Saskatchewan, employing over 44,000 employees and physicians responsible for the delivery of high quality and timely healthcare for the entire province. We are driven by the commitment to improve frontline patient care for Saskatchewan people, and we are working together to better coordinate health services across the province to ensure that patients receive high quality, timely healthcare, wherever they live in Saskatchewan.

The SHA supports a shared commitment to a Representative Workforce that is respectful and inclusive of all staff and clients. We welcome applications from those who will contribute to the diversity of our community.

Qualifications:

Successful candidates will have specialty training in public health and/or preventive medicine and be eligible for provisional or regular licensure from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan (CPSS). Preference will be given to candidates who hold certification or are eligible for certification from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC) in Public Health and Preventive Medicine.

This individual should be a team player, be able to interact effectively with patients, colleagues, staff and management, and function well in a high volume environment with a commitment to provision of high quality patient and family centered care.

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The start date for this position is negotiable. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

For Information or to submit curriculum vitae, please contact:

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