

Main Office - Belleville

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Medical Officer of Health

Hastings Prince Edward Public Health (HPEPH) is a local public health agency with 130+ staff delivering public health programs and services to the people of Hastings and Prince Edward County. The underlying goal of its services and programs - from immunization, food safety, healthy schools, raising healthy babies and children, sexual health, tobacco use reduction, and many other public health areas - is to promote and protect the health of the more than 160,000 residents.

HPEPH has an opening for a full time **Medical Officer of Health/Chief Executive Officer (**MOH/CEO). Reporting to an autonomous Board of Health, the MOH acts as Chief Executive Officer to the Board and is responsible for advising the Board on all matters related to the protection and promotion of the health of the public and the strategic management and operation of the agency. With input from the Board, the MOH/CEO establishes the priorities of the agency and works with the senior leadership team and community to maximize efficiency, effectiveness, value for money and other parameters to ensure the best possible services for the people of the area.

We are looking for an innovative, dynamic, politically astute, skilled public health physician leader to provide medical and visionary leadership to the organization and collaborate with our key community stakeholders. The successful applicant must have a medical degree, a fellowship in Public Health and Preventive Medicine from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, be registered with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and have suitable academic and professional qualifications.

The recently constructed HPEPH main office in Belleville provides a large, bright, and spacious physical environment. We offer a competitive salary in accordance with Ministry of Health guidelines, and a rewards package which includes a generous time off package, health, dental and other benefits including the OMERS pension plan. The successful candidate may be eligible for payment or reimbursement of professional dues, membership fees, tuition and certain relocation costs. All HPEPH staff enjoy a professional environment that includes opportunities to work across teams and participate in learning opportunities. Our CARE values of Collaboration, Advocacy, Respect and Excellence, inspire our work and our commitment to helping improve the quality of life for the people in our communities.

The HPEPH service area reaches from the southern shores of the Bay of Quinte on Lake Ontario, north to Algonquin Park. Our community offers the convenience of urban centres, while cottage country can be less than a half hour away. Our region combines Ontario's best outdoor recreation with urban conveniences and a reasonable cost of living. HPEPH operates 4 community offices located in Belleville (main), Trenton, Bancroft and Picton.

To express your interest in this exciting leadership opportunity, please forward your resume, in confidence, to Valerie Dunham, Director of Corporate Services, Hastings Prince Edward Public Health at vdunham@hpeph.ca. The closing date for receipt of applications is November 14, 2021 but applications will be considered immediately upon receipt. To learn more, please visit www.hpepublichealth.ca.

HPEPH supports diversity in all forms, including but not limited to age disability, economic circumstance, marital status, ethnicity, gender, gender identity and gender expression, race, religion, and sexual orientation. Accommodations will be made, upon request, for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process.