



Psychiatrist – Ref. No. 18023

Permanent Part-Time to Permanent Full-Time

The Alex: Changing Health. Changing Lives.

The Alex Community Health Centre is a not-for-profit organization that is changing how we look at health care in Calgary. Our health, housing and food programs support our most vulnerable neighbors, tackling tough health and social issues head-on.

Since 1973, our cost-effective programs have provided preventative care in a welcoming, easy to access environment, moving people from poverty to stability and from crisis to wellness. Using a multidisciplinary team approach, we focus care on assessment, intervention and promotion of all aspects of health. We embrace a model of healthcare that is accessible, responsive and participatory. In addition to the Family Health Centre, we run a Senior's Health Centre, a Youth Centre, two Mobile Community Health Buses, one Dental Health Bus, four Housing First Programs, a Breastfeeding Clinic, a Community Food Centre, CLERC - legal support for Children and Youth and a Bottles4Health Program.

This Alex is searching for psychiatric support for all programming. Clinical practice areas may include:

- Complex Care Clinic
- Family Health Clinic
- Seniors Clinic
- Youth Health Clinic
- Housing First Clinic

The Alex provides services to clients with multifaceted medical and social needs. Often, clients present with significant barriers to accessing care via traditional healthcare settings. Our most complex clients often present with primary psychiatric diagnoses and also experience barriers including access to housing, basic needs, and trauma. The Alex offers a dynamic environment for medical practice, and our medical personnel are supported by a multidisciplinary team of health professionals (including nursing, mental health, client resource specialists, chronic disease management teams, and onsite pharmacy services), as well as a full-complement of clinical support staff. This position is funded through an Alternative Relationship Plan (ARP).

What you will do:

- Provide clinical services to assigned clients including assessment, treatment planning and ongoing psychiatric care
- Collaborate with staff in management of client needs and provide consultation as needed
- Deliver care to patients on community treatment orders

What you bring:

Candidates must be eligible for certification with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada in Psychiatry. S/he must also be eligible for licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta.

How to apply:

If you are as passionate as we are about making a difference in people's lives, please submit your resume to jobs@thealex.ca and be sure to include the job title and reference number in the subject line.

We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

For further information about The Alex and its programs, we encourage you to visit our website at www.thealex.ca