



Sessional Instructors

Master of Precision Health (MDPR) Graduate Program

The Director of the Master of Precision Health (**MDPR**) Graduate Program in the Cumming School of Medicine is accepting applications for **Sessional Instructors** to deliver the following graduate-level courses:

Course Name	Sessional Instructor Positions	Term
MDPR 601: Ethics and Law in Precision Health	1.0 Sessional Instructor (delivery) 0.33 Sessional Instructor (delivery)	Spring 2026
MDPR 611: Pharmacogenomics	0.5 Sessional Instructor (delivery)	Spring 2026
MDPR 632: Leadership in Health Professional Education	1.0 Sessional Instructor	Spring 2026
MDPR 642: Implementing Innovations In Precision Health	1.0 Sessional Instructor (delivery) 1.0 Sessional Instructor (delivery)	Spring 2026
MDPR 673: Human Factors	0.5 Sessional Instructor (delivery) 0.5 Sessional Instructor (delivery)	Spring 2026
MDPR 686: Experiential Learning	0.5 Sessional Instructor (delivery)	Spring 2026

Course descriptions can be found here: [Course Descriptions](#)

Qualifications and Experience:

- Relevant experience (as appropriate for the course) within Canadian or similar healthcare environments, organizations, and/or post-secondary environments.
- Master's degree or PhD with relevance to the course (i.e., healthcare quality or safety leadership, education and leadership, ethics and law, public health, business administration).
- Enthusiasm for innovative teaching techniques and virtual, synchronous course delivery at the graduate level with demonstrated excellence in developing and delivering engaging, immersive, and student-centered courses.
- Well organized, detail-oriented, and able to prioritize and execute multiple projects simultaneously.
- A history of being proactive, thorough, independent, curious, and willing to learn.

The Master of Precision Health (MDPR) Graduate Program offers a three-year, ladder (certificate/diploma/master's) professional graduate degree and a two-year Master's degree. The MDPR program offers an intensive series of courses across several specializations. Courses encompass medical, health, organizational, and management considerations and are designed to prepare students for professional careers with a focus on precision health.

Applicants must submit a *curriculum vitae* plus the names of three potential referees to Dr. Aliya Kassam (kassama@ucalgary.ca) by February 17, 2026

While we accept all applications for this vacancy, we may have candidates with the right of first refusal as per Article 23.12.1 of the University of Calgary Faculty Association Collective Agreement. Applicants should note that strong candidates with prior experience teaching the listed courses may be applying for these positions.



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The amount of remuneration is calculated according to the Collective Agreement, Schedule B. Please see the Faculty Association's website at <http://www.ucalgary.ca/TUCFA> for further information regarding conditions of employment and remuneration.

The University of Calgary has launched an institution-wide **Indigenous Strategy** committing to creating a rich, vibrant, and culturally competent campus that welcomes and supports Indigenous Peoples, encourages Indigenous community partnerships, is inclusive of Indigenous perspectives in all that we do.

We thank you for your application. Only successful applicants will be contacted.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Calgary respects, appreciates, and encourages equity, diversity, and inclusion. We strive to preserve a welcoming work setting.

Aliya Kassam, PhD

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