PLASTIC SURGEON
Director of Calgary Firefighter’s Burn Treatment Centre
FOOTHILLS MEDICAL CENTRE, Calgary, Alberta

The Department of Surgery, Alberta Health Services–Calgary Zone and the University of Calgary invite applications for the position of Plastic Surgeon with expertise in acute burn care and burn reconstruction to work at the Foothills Medical Centre (FMC). Qualifications include an MD, a Fellowship from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada in Plastic Surgery, fellowship training in burn care and reconstruction, and a proven record of academic productivity. Applicants must be eligible for licensure in the province of Alberta. The position will commence in the spring or summer of 2023.

The successful candidate will become a member of the Section of Plastic Surgery. Clinical responsibilities include coordinating and participating in the team-based care of burn patients presenting to the FMC and participating in management of acute trauma care presenting to the plastic surgery service. The successful candidate will also be required to have competence in general reconstructive plastic surgery including microsurgical reconstruction, oncologic reconstruction, and trauma reconstruction. The successful candidate will have access to an ambulatory hand clinic, minor surgery, and operating room clinical resources presently allocated to FMC Plastic Surgery. The individual will be required to provide call coverage as required by the Section of Plastic Surgery and in accordance with Alberta Health Services policies.

The successful candidate will take on the administrative role of Director of Calgary Firefighters’ Burn Treatment Centre at (CFBTC) at FMC, working towards achieving American Burn Association (ABA) certification for the CFBTC, and working collaboratively with the Directors of the Calgary Firefighters’ Burn Foundation. Other committee service as a representative of the Section of Plastic Surgery will also occur. Research responsibilities include working collaboratively with the Skin Regeneration and Wound Healing Research Group at the University of Calgary. The successful candidate is expected to lead quality improvement and research projects related to burn care. The surgeon will be expected to have a clinical appointment with the University of Calgary, Cumming School of Medicine, Department of Surgery, and to participate in medical student and resident teaching and research.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. Alberta Health Services and the University of Calgary are committed to employment equity and respect, appreciate, and encourage diversity. Please submit a letter of application, your curriculum vitae and three letters of reference by December 31, 2022 to:

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