

## **Consultant, Physician and Professional Issues 12-month Contract (Secondment)**

### **Position Profile:**

The OHA is looking for an energetic professional with outstanding communication skills and extensive experience in providing leadership, policy advice, project and change management support for OHA initiatives regarding physician and health profession issues, programs and related committees.

You are a great listener and your communication style, energy and self-confidence make people want to work with you. You enjoy the challenge of gathering and synthesizing a range of perspectives and at times, complex options into a results-oriented plan. You thrive in a fast paced environment, can effectively handle multiple projects simultaneously and you have a strong sense of accountability for your work and the service that you and your team provide to OHA members, your colleagues and the organization.

### **The Position:**

Reporting to the Director, Legislative, Legal & Professional Issues, and working closely with other departments within the Policy & Public Affairs Division, you will:

- Provide advice to colleagues and member hospitals on physician issues and regulated health profession matters such as expanding scope of practice, interprofessional collaboration, and regulation of new professions,
- Conduct research, prepare briefing notes, and develop tools and resources to support member hospitals regarding issues impacting hospital-based physicians and regulated health professionals
- Provide support to the OHA's Physician Provincial Leadership Council and the Physician Hospital Issues Committee,
- Represent the OHA as an active participant on relevant external committees and stakeholder working groups
- Collaborate with system partners such as the Ontario Medical Association, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, the Ontario College of Family Physicians, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and other health profession regulatory colleges and professional associations on matters impacting hospitals
- Liaise with Chiefs of Staff, VP Medical Affairs, physicians and hospital CEOs to advance issues impacting hospitals and physicians

### **The Candidate:**

You have demonstrated knowledge and experience, preferably in the hospital sector related to physician and health profession issues. You have well developed project and process management skills, and effective leadership and stakeholder management skills. In addition, you have excellent

communication, presentation, facilitation and interpersonal skills. You are a strong team player, and have the ability to work with and coordinate the efforts of diverse groups of professionals from the health care sector. You have the ability to work well under pressure while managing multiple priorities, and remaining responsive in a dynamic environment.

You hold a university degree in Health Sciences, or a related discipline, combined with demonstrated related work experience is required. A masters degree in a related discipline and/or a legal degree is an asset. Your solid understanding of Ontario's health care system, including knowledge of the statutory framework governing health care professionals, would be an advantage in the position.

Your colleagues would describe you as ***dynamic, positive, collaborative, persuasive, resilient, driven and results-oriented.***

### **The Organization:**

*The Ontario Hospital Association (OHA) is a not-for-profit association. Our vision is to achieve a high performing health system. Our mission is to support our members – the for-profit and not-for-profit organization involved in Ontario health care delivery, by giving them high-quality products and services, by championing innovation and performance improvement, and by advancing and influencing health system policy in Ontario.*

*Interested in helping the OHA deliver on the promise of health care?*

*We can offer you a fulfilling role, an inspiring and creative place to work, and the chance to make a positive impact on the health care system – and oh yeah, have a lot of fun in the process. As you may know, employee engagement is key in the success of any business, and we are proud of the OHA's 98 percent employee engagement rate.*

*Need more proof the OHA is a great place to work? Well, how about this... we were recently recognized as one of the Best Workplaces in Canada for the fifth consecutive year, as well as one of the Best Workplaces in Canada for Women.*

*Leading the transformation to a better health care system, the OHA is a dynamic organization offering innovative education, tools, and practices that enable people to deliver effective, safe and efficient health care. For more information visit [www.oha.com](http://www.oha.com).*

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