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DIViSiON CHIEF AND/or MEDICAL DIRECTOR

The BerbeeWalsh Department of Emergency Medicine at the University of Wisconsin has an immediate opening for a Division Chief and/or Medical Director to oversee, lead and grow its Division of Pediatric Emergency Medicine. Appointment for this exceptional faculty leadership opportunity will be dependent upon background experience and interest.

This position will be responsible for advancing and implementing the clinical, educational, academic, research and advocacy goals of the institution for pediatric emergency medicine (PEM). The successful candidate will aid in policy and guideline development in collaboration with departmental and institutional stakeholders while ensuring continual improvement in patient outcomes through departmental quality and patient experience efforts. In addition to clinical service, academic responsibilities for the Division Chief role will include teaching multiple levels of learners and encouraging research advancing the science of pediatric emergency medicine.

QUALIFICATIONS

- M.D. or equivalent degree
- Fellowship-trained in Pediatric Emergency Medicine
- Licensed by the Wisconsin Medical Board or eligible to be licensed
- Board certification in Pediatric Emergency Medicine
- ACLS/BLS/PALS required
- Strong clinical and leadership experience is required, preferably in an academic setting

The Division of Pediatric Emergency Medicine delivers compassionate, high-quality, evidence-based emergency care to children from throughout the region and across the state. Clinical care is primarily delivered at a recently renovated, 11-bed dedicated pediatric emergency department at the American Family Children’s Hospital—a nationally-ranked, 111-bed facility with pediatric and neonatal surgical intensive care units that have served the special needs of children for more than 100 years. It is a busy Level I trauma center, one of two in the state, and the only verified Level 1 burn center in Wisconsin.
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The pediatric ED cares for approximately 14,000 pediatric patients annually—many with high acuity—and is staffed by a knowledgeable, growing group of fellowship-trained PEM faculty working closely with trainees from pediatric and emergency medicine residencies, as well as medical students at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health—itself a recognized international, national, and statewide leader in education, research, and service. A dedicated team of specialized pediatric nurses and respiratory therapists also staff pediatric ED alongside 24/7 child life, pharmacy and social work services, and the department has a strong, collaborative relationship with pediatric and neonatal critical care transport crews.

The department is also a recognized leader in our specialty with regards to research, ranking among the top 12 academic departments nationally for NIH research funding last year—with additional, significant federal funding awarded in FY2021 as well.

LOCATION & LIFESTYLE
The University of Wisconsin is located in Madison, WI, the state’s capital and beloved isthmus city set between the two largest of five sparkling lakes boasting beautiful scenery and plentiful outdoor adventure year-round, as well as vibrant arts, culinary, technology, and education hubs. Madison was recently ranked as one of the Best Places to Live by Livability and is a wonderful and affordable place to live and work for both individuals and families.

- #1 city for work-life balance (Smart Asset, 2020)
- #2 fittest city in America (Men’s Health, 2019)
- #4 greenest cities in the U.S. (zippia.com, 2020)
- WI is a top state to practice medicine (Wallet Hub, 2021)

A competitive salary commensurate with qualifications, relocation assistance, professional (CME) allowance, and a comprehensive benefits package will be offered. Our Department and Division are also invested in fostering strong mentoring relationships among faculty and with learners, as well as offering ample opportunities for faculty development.

To inquire, please send your curriculum vitae and cover letter to:

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