# UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO Job Description

# <u>Assistant Professor - Bone Marrow Transplant Clinical Psychologist</u> <u>Department of Medicine, Division of Hematology</u>

Position Number: 00008030

The University of Colorado Denver | Anschutz Medical Campus seeks individuals with demonstrated commitment to creating an inclusive learning and working environment. We value the ability to engage effectively with students, faculty and staff of diverse backgrounds.

The University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus, one of four campuses in the University of Colorado System, is the major academic medical center in the Rocky Mountain region. The Anschutz Medical Campus is home to the University of Colorado Hospital, Children's Hospital Colorado and a new Veterans Affairs Hospital, making it one of the largest and most comprehensive biomedical research and clinical care centers in the western United States.

#### Job Summary:

This psychologist (PhD or PsyD) will be faculty in the Division of Hematology and will serve the clinical needs of the Blood Disorders and Cellular Therapies Center on the Anschutz Medical Campus. This population includes those with hematologic malignancies such as leukemia, lymphoma and multiple myeloma, as well as those undergoing bone marrow transplant or treatment with immune effector therapy such as those using Chimeric Antigen Receptor T-cell (CAR-T) to treat cancer.

This is a clinical position and is highly integrated with the medical team. The psychologist will provide assessment including pre-transplant evaluation, health and behavior interventions, and psychotherapy to individuals and families across both the inpatient and outpatient environment. This psychologist will join a dedicated psychosocial team comprised of psychologists, social workers, and spiritual care providers and will spend a portion of their time coordinating with the medical and psychosocial teams to assure the needs of patients and families are met. The expectation is that this is a predominately clinical position. There will be opportunities for teaching, scholarship, and research as part of the assistant professor role; however, this position includes no protected time for non-clinical activities.

#### **ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

Contributes as part of the UCH multidisciplinary inpatient psychiatry consultation team including:

 Provide Behavioral Health Services for inpatients at University of Colorado Hospital and outpatients in the Blood Disorders and Cellular Therapy Center for example brief psychotherapies, adjustment to illness, trauma informed approaches, safety evaluations, pre-transplant evaluations and capacity evaluations for medical decision making

- Assist with unit/patient/staff relational dynamics and provide recommendations to help in cases of difficult patient interactions, including the creation and implementation of behavioral care plans
- Develop educational programming and present at Division of Hematology Grand Rounds
- Participate in quality review activities and process improvement
- Contribute to the academic advancement of the discipline
- Keep abreast of the latest developments in field, both academically and through applied skills
- Maintain collaborative engagement with the medical and psychosocial teams
- Maintain eligibility for SOM faculty appointment

# **Specific Additional Responsibilities or Duties**

• Occasional crisis intervention for difficult patient situations

DISCLAIMER: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by individuals assigned to this position. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of responsibilities.

#### **Salary and Benefits:**

Salary is commensurate with skills and experience. The University of Colorado offers a full benefits package. Information on University benefits programs, including eligibility, is located at <a href="Employee Services">Employee Services</a>.

The University of Colorado Denver is dedicated to ensuring a safe and secure environment for our faculty, staff, students and visitors. To assist in achieving that goal, we conduct background investigations for all prospective employees.

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Total Compensation Calculator: <a href="https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/total-compensation">https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/total-compensation</a>

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The University of Colorado Denver | Anschutz Medical Campus is committed to recruiting and supporting a diverse student body, faculty and administrative staff. The university strives to promote a culture of inclusiveness, respect, communication and understanding. We encourage applications from women, ethnic minorities, persons with disabilities and all veterans. The University of Colorado is committed to diversity and equality in education and employment.

#### Qualifications

#### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- PhD or PsyD in Clinical or Counseling psychology from a regionally accredited university with an APA-accredited clinical psychology training program.
- Completion of an APA-accredited psychology internship training program
- Postdoctoral fellowship or postdoctoral training in clinical health psychology OR equivalent work experience in a related specialty
- Experience on an integrated medical team
- Full, unrestricted license to practice psychology in the State of Colorado
- · Eligibility for credentialing at UCHealth

### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- Doctoral training as a clinical health psychologist or with a focus on health psychology
- A post-doctoral fellowship as a clinical practitioner in an integrated behavioral health position
- At least two years of clinical experience as a licensed psychologist in an integrated medical setting
- Prior psycho-oncology or bone marrow transplant experience

**Application Materials Required:** Cover Letter, Resume/CV, List of References **Application Materials Instructions:** 

Applications are accepted electronically at <u>CU Careers</u>, refer to requisition ID: <a href="https://cu.taleo.net/careersection/2/jobdetail.ftl?job=16227&lang=en">https://cu.taleo.net/careersection/2/jobdetail.ftl?job=16227&lang=en</a>

When applying, applicants must include:

- 1. A letter of application which specifically addresses the job requirements and outlines qualifications
- 2. A current Resume/CV
- 3. The names, addresses, daytime telephone numbers and e-mail addresses for three professional references, either attached to your resume/CV or uploaded as a separate document

Please be advised that the University does check references as part of the employment process.