



Lewis Katz School of Medicine

Professional Specifications

Associate Director, Transfusion Medicine

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Faculty Opportunity- Philadelphia, PA
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The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Temple University School of Medicine announces the search for an Assistant Director of Blood Bank/Transfusion Medicine.

As an integral part of the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, the section of Transfusion Medicine oversees a sophisticated and active Transfusion Service and Therapeutic Apheresis Service. Temple University Hospital is a 746-bed teaching hospital located on Temple University's Health Sciences Center Campus at Broad and Ontario Streets in Philadelphia. The hospital provides patients with ready access to an exceptional group of physicians in every specialty and primary care field. These doctors include the nationally recognized faculty of the Temple University School of Medicine, who are supported by the advanced resources of its major teaching hospital.

The hospital has a typical patient unit consisting of 34 beds, 22 operating rooms, and 4 Cardiac Catheterization labs. There is an Active Therapeutic Aphaeresis Service that conducted 240 in procedures in 2016 due to the increased volumes of transplantation services.. The Active Transplant Programs consist of: Heart Transplant, Lung Transplant, Heart & Lung Transplant, Liver Transplant, Renal Transplant, and Bone Marrow Transplant.

The responsibility of Transfusion Services extends to affiliated hospitals: Episcopal Campus of TUH (a 118 bed facility located within a short distance from TUH), Shriner's Hospital and Northeastern Ambulatory Care Center. The responsibilities include teaching of medical students, residents and fellows from many disciplines as well as the PGY I through PGY IV pathology residents.

In 2016 the Blood Bank processed over 28279 type and screen, over 35,000 cross match and 21,137 blood transfusions in 2015.

The selected candidate will be an MD/DO with active Board Certification in Clinical Pathology (or Internal Medicine) with established credentials and an interest in teaching. Certification in Transfusion Medicine is required. New fellows who are eligible to sit for certification in transfusion medicine will also be considered however, they will be expected to complete the certification within the first year of hire. Experience in therapeutic apheresis and/or blood donor service is preferred.

Rank and compensation will be commensurate with experience.

Personal statements summarizing teaching experience, clinical and research interests, leadership experience and contributions to diversity are encouraged. Interested candidates should submit a curriculum vitae and letter of interest to:

Yuri Persidsky, MD, PhD, Professor and Chairperson, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine c/o Julie Brissett, Assistant Director, Department of Physician & Faculty Recruitment, Temple University School of Medicine, 3420 N. Broad Street. Philadelphia, PA 19140 or Julie.brissett@tuhs.temple.edu

The University is especially interested in qualified candidates who can contribute through their research, teaching, and/or service to the diversity and excellence of the academic community. Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and strongly encourages applications from women, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities.