

Chief Dental Officer

On behalf of the **UT Health San Antonio School of Dentistry** and Dean Peter Loomer BSc, D.D.S., Ph.D., MRCD(C), FACD, **AMN Leadership Solutions** is pleased to announce a national search for a **Chief Dental Officer (CDO)**. This is an exciting opportunity as the incoming CDO will serve in an inaugural capacity within the School of Dentistry.

Reporting to the Dean, School of Dentistry at UT Health San Antonio and working in collaboration with the administrative team, the Chief Dental Officer (CDO) will develop, implement, and evaluate the dental practice delivery model in accordance with the goals of UT Dentistry to achieve expert care and excellent customer service/patient experience. The CDO will share in administrative functions that directly impact dental services and collaborate with the School of Dentistry's leadership team in overall planning and budget activities. He or she will assure delivery of quality services to all patients.

The CDO will lead a unified clinical infrastructure with a common purpose and with standardized operations and administrative processes. The CDO will work closely with each clinic's manager and clinic or program director to ensure the clinic has adopted recommendations, policies and procedures are being followed, and that efforts to increase productivity are initiated and maintained. The clinic directors will have dual reporting lines to both the CDO and their respective chairs, the clinical responsibility will be under the supervision of the CDO while the academic duties such as scholarly activity and teaching will be the supervision of the Chair. The CDO will be aided by the Senior Director of Clinical Operations (a direct report to the CDO), to whom the clinic managers will have a reporting line (in addition to their respective administrators).

Candidates for the position of Chief Dental Officer will be selected from a diverse pool and will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

- A D.D.S. or D.M.D. or equivalent degree, or a degree in healthcare management; AEGD and/or accredited residency/specialty training and/or healthcare management training is desirable. Current board certification if applicable.
- License to practice dentistry in the state of Texas or eligible for licensure, if applicable.
- Previously held a significant leadership role in a complex, multi-faceted university, clinical group practice, or dental school with proven ability to provide leadership to other dentists, health care professionals and staff in the area of clinical operations.
- Demonstrated successful operation of a multi-specialty clinical practice. Possess a minimum of five years of significant management experience.



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Established in 1959, The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio (dba: UT Health San Antonio), one of six health institutions in The University of Texas System, is the major source of health professions education and life sciences research in South Texas and is a major center for patient care in South Texas. UT Health San Antonio is a comprehensive academic health center with 3,383 students enrolled in five schools: the Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long School of Medicine, the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, the **School of Dentistry**, the School of Nursing and the School of Health Professions.

The School of Dentistry was founded in 1970 and graduated its first class of 14 members in 1974 and rapidly rose to a level of national and international distinction. Today, the School graduates more than 100 dentists every year. With more than 200 dedicated faculty members in 10 fields of study, the School of Dentistry is on the cutting edge of both oral health research and the delivery of patient care. The School has **consistently ranked in the top of all schools of dentistry in the country**, and is currently ranked 12th among all dental schools for the number of grants received from the National Institutes of Health. The School has 562 students enrolled in the 2019-2020 School Year, which includes students in the DDS Program, Post Doctoral/Advanced Education, and Dental Hygiene.

The School of Dentistry mission is to improve oral health through excellence in education, research, patient care, and community engagement.

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