

Chair of Department of Neurological Surgery and Surgical Director of the Mulva Clinic for the Neurosciences

The Dell Medical School at the University of Texas at Austin

The Dell Medical School of The University of Texas at Austin is seeking a national leader in Neurological Surgery for the role of the inaugural Surgical Director of the Mulva Clinic for the Neurosciences. A \$50 million gift from James and Miriam Mulva will catalyze the development of a world class center for the treatment and study of neurological diseases that builds on existing strengths across the University of Texas at Austin and in the community.-. The Surgical Director will be the inaugural Chair of the Department of Neurological Surgery at Dell Medical School and work collaboratively with Chairs of Neurology and Psychiatry to lead the Mulva Clinic in shaping interdisciplinary clinical, research and teaching programs in Neuroscience. Consistent with Dell Medical School's mission, the Mulva Clinic will pursue innovation in the redesign of healthcare delivery, excellence in clinical care and biomedical research, and programs in interdisciplinary and interprofessional education. The School is partnering closely with the community and regional healthcare providers and payers to provide new models for health promotion, healthcare delivery, and clinical care for the community's underserved population.

The Chair of Neurological Surgery and Surgical Director of the Mulva Clinic for the Neurosciences, will report directly to Dean Clay Johnston and work closely with the Chair of the Department of Surgery and Perioperative Care to recruit and build a nationally recognized Department of Neurological Surgery. He or she will co-lead the design, development and implementation of an multiple Integrated Practice Units (IPUs) to provide evidence-based, multidisciplinary care for patients with a variety of neurologic diseases develop and implement a multi-disciplinary research program; and oversee undergraduate, graduate, and continuing medical education related to the surgical treatment of neurologic disease.

Specific job responsibilities will include:

- Together with Chairs of Neurology and Psychiatry, lead the design, implementation and iteration of a generously-endowed value-based Neurosciences Clinic, composed of multiple IPUs, and service line co-management approach for neurologic conditions

- Develop new cross-continuum, multidisciplinary care pathways for priority clinical areas based on best-available clinical evidence, including referral guidelines for primary care providers and management guidelines for post-acute providers
- Develop a strategic plan and execute to build a nationally-recognized Department of Neurological Surgery, fully integrated in the Mulva Clinic and Dell Medical School.
- Serving as the Surgical Director of Dell Medical school's hospital partner's service line, including overseeing the clinical staffing, administration, and other operations related to the IPU's
- Recruit neurosciences leaders from the community and nationally to participate in the Department and Mulva Clinic, including designing neuroscience-specific affiliation and incentive models that include metrics for research and mentoring contributions
- Work with resources from the, Dell Medical School, and the University of Texas at Austin campus, to develop the business case and ongoing financing mechanisms for the Mulva Clinic
- Develop partnerships with referring physicians, hospitals, and post-acute providers in Austin and Central Texas
- Create a data and evaluation infrastructure for regularly assessing the Clinic's performance and the IPU's clinical and quality and cost outcomes
- Explore training programs in Neurological Surgery for medical students, residents and fellows
- Oversee the development of undergraduate medical education curriculum and rotations related to integrated neurosciences care
- Participate in the development of facilities and resource allocation mechanisms to build innovative neurosurgical care and research that supports new care models.
- Collaborate with other schools and colleges at the University of Texas at Austin and across the University of Texas system in developing Interprofessional and multidisciplinary, teaching, research and value-based care models
- Work with leaders in other clinical areas to design and implement IPU's

Required qualifications:

- Medical degree from an accredited medical school
- Board certification in neurosurgery

- Eligible for appointment as tenure-track faculty, Professor rank
- Record of leadership and achievement in academic medicine

Preferred qualifications:

- Experience leading neurological surgery programs in matrixed organizations.
- Administrative experience leading academic Departments
- Experience with value-based care delivery and integrated practice models
- Outstanding track record of translational research and mentoring in neurosciences

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