## Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs

## **UNLV School of Medicine**

The UNLV School of Medicine is seeking an exceptional leader to serve as Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs. Founded in 1957, UNLV is currently home to more than 28,000 students across the Schools of Allied Health Sciences, Lee Business School, Community Health Sciences, Dental Medicine, Education, Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering, Fine Arts, Graduate College, Honors College, William F. Harrah College of Hotel Administration, William S. Boyd School of Law, Liberal Arts, Nursing, Sciences, and the Greenspun College of Urban Affairs.

After experiencing unprecedented population growth over the past several decades, Las Vegas has become the largest city in the country without a dedicated allopathic medical school with over two million residents and 40 million annual visitors. Recognizing the strong community and regional need for additional physicians and the opportunity afforded by such a growing and diverse community, UNLV officially approved the establishment of a new medical school on August 22, 2014. The school is on pace to start instruction for its inaugural class of 60 medical students in July 2017 with full scholarships offered to the entire class.

We are seeking an established academic leader eligible for appointment as an Associate Professor or Professor and board certified by the American Board of Medical Specialties to serve as the Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs. Applicants should have a notable track record of excellence in education, clinical care, and leadership. The Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs is responsible for establishing and maintaining the appropriate internal and external programs and relationships necessary to support the clinical affairs of the University of Nevada Las Vegas School of Medicine. He/she will have primary responsibility for establishing and managing efforts to achieve necessary analyses of clinical affairs issues that will enable the UNLV School of Medicine to fulfill its mission in the healthcare marketplace.

The Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs will organize and facilitate a broad range of activities required to support the School's executive decision-making process. As appropriate, the Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs will participate in various School of Medicine advisory and decision-making groups that are delegated the responsibility of recommending strategies for the School of Medicine clinical affairs. He/she will be responsible for reporting and communicating the results of these targeted clinical affairs studies to the Dean of UNLV School of Medicine, the Faculty Practice Plan Board of Directors and others within and outside School of Medicine and the Faculty Practice Plan. In addition, the Vice Dean for Clinical Affairs will promote collaboration, as well as identification and resolution of clinical issues between School of Medicine department chairs and clinical program directors and the medical directors of affiliated hospitals, clinics and networks.

## **Candidate Inquiries**

Interested applicants should send their curriculum vitae to Jay Torio, Senior Director of Academic Recruiting at Merritt Hawkins at <a href="mailto:jay.torio@merritthawkins.com">jay.torio@merritthawkins.com</a>. Questions and inquiries can be directed to 469-524-1400. All applications will be handled in a security sensitive and confidential manner.