

# Vice Chair of Quality & Safety

## The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center along with The Department of Surgery, under the direction of Tim Pawlik, M.D., as Chair, is recruiting a Vice Chair of Quality and Safety. This position will provide leadership in the conceptualization, development, implementation and measurement of the OSU Department of Surgery (DoS) approach to quality, patient safety and adverse event reduction. To communicate and implement strategic, operational and programmatic plans and policies to achieve the vision of having a culture where patient safety is a very high priority for clinicians and staff.

### **Qualifications:**

- Five to Seven years of Quality & Safety experience
- Qualify for academic appointment at the Associate or Professor level – Academic rank and salary will be commensurate with previous training and experience

### **Specific responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following:**

- Planning for Quality and Patient Safety
- Measurement and Assessment of Quality and Patient Safety
- Improvement of Processes and Systems
- Reporting & Communicating Results | Quality and Patient Safety Programs
- Education | Transfer improvement knowledge
- Research

As central Ohio's only academic medical center, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center values learning, development and innovation. We were named U.S. News and World Report Best Hospitals, nationally ranked in eight specialties to include Cancer, Cardiology & Heart Surgery, Diabetes & Endocrinology, Ear, Nose and Throat, Geriatric, Nephrology, Neurology and Neurosurgery and Pulmonology. The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center is ranked in excellence in the top 3 percent of U.S. hospitals, No. 2 hospital in Ohio, and Best hospital in Columbus for the past 24 years. Recently, The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center – Arthur G. James Cancer Hospital and Richard J. Solove Research Institute has been named a 2016 Guardian of Excellence Award winner by Press Ganey.

Visit our website, [www.wexnermedical.osu.edu](http://www.wexnermedical.osu.edu) and discover how Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center is improving people's lives.

Columbus, Ohio's capital city (15th largest city in the country) has it all. From historic communities and suburban living to college crowds and nightlife – Columbus is a friendly Midwestern town with metropolitan style. The city is renowned for its leading technological companies, vast academic resources, thriving industry and eclectic mix of entertainment, dining and shopping.

For consideration and additional information, please send CV along with a cover letter to:

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