

# Keck School of Medicine of USC

## **Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases**

The Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California, Department of Medicine invites applications and nominations for the position of ***Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases***

The Division of Infectious Diseases is considered a strong clinical unit with ample opportunities for continuing clinical and academic growth. A national search is underway for a new Chief who will be recruited with an opportunity to guide the Division through this period of growth as part of Medicine's strategic plan.

The next Chief of Infectious Diseases will be a respected physician scientist with strong leadership skills. There are many areas of research that would be a welcome complement to the current areas of strengths in HIV/AIDS, cancer, viral liver disease, and organ transplantation. The Chief will be responsible for clinical, academic, and administrative activities of the Division and therefore she/he must have a deep knowledge of clinical practice; a strong commitment to training and career development in research and clinical care; and demonstrated leadership and administrative ability.

The Chief must have the business acumen and cultural sensitivity to manage in a complex organization and the interpersonal skills to assure successful relationship building with a variety of external and internal stakeholders. The Chief must bring vision to the task of drafting the Division's future, coupled with an ability to communicate in a fashion that inspires others to follow. She/he must be a consensus builder, while also capable of serving as an agent for change. The Chief must be both advocate for the Division and be a principle-centered institutional leader. They must be able to recruit, develop, and retain faculty, as well as hold them accountable for productivity in all mission areas. A passion for mentoring and development of faculty and fellows will be essential for the Division (and the Chief's) success.

The Academic Health Center Practice of Korn Ferry is assisting the Department of Medicine at the Keck School of Medicine of USC with this important search. Please forward, as soon as possible, your application, including letter of interest, or nominations of appropriate candidates to:

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