



Chair, Department of Medicine

Maimonides Medical Center, in partnership with Korn Ferry, is pleased to announce a national search for the Chair of the Department of Medicine.

Maimonides Medical Center (Maimonides), the premier academic community teaching hospital in the borough of Brooklyn and the largest medical center in New York's most populous borough, is poised to stand at the forefront of innovative medicine, in the nation's largest urban area. From the beginning, it represents an exemplary organization with a rich history of providing high-quality clinical care, education, and research that spans over 100 years.

Today, with 711 beds and more than 70 primary care and sub-specialty programs, Maimonides is among the largest independent teaching hospitals in the nation. As Maimonides' largest department, the Department of Medicine is central to Maimonides' strategy for establishing a vibrant population-based health enterprise while sustaining its extraordinary track record of excellence and innovation in medical care.

This is a remarkable opportunity to lead an exceptional clinical and academic department known for providing outstanding patient care and fostering the medical education of the next generation. In this highly visible role, the Chair of Medicine will arrive at a pivotal time in the history of Medicine at Maimonides, Brooklyn, and New York City.

The new Chair of Medicine will inherit a strong clinical enterprise and will have an opportunity to sustain an extraordinary legacy established by prior department chairs while bringing added distinction to Maimonides and its Department of Medicine through innovation. Reporting to the Chief Executive Officer and to the Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs, and working alongside 12 other Department Chairs, the Chair of Medicine will be viewed by all stakeholders as a strong advocate for balancing the academic, educational, and clinical missions of the Medical Center. The successful candidate will find an extraordinarily rich environment in which clinical excellence and collaboration are the hallmarks of this highly successful, nationally recognized and academically robust Department. They will be expected to continue Maimonides' proud tradition of clinical service, scholarship, innovation, and community engagement. The new Chair of Medicine will promote a culture of institutional stewardship and transparency, by engaging and leading with a commitment to improve and grow clinical operations.

Qualified candidates will hold a medical degree (MD, MD/MPH, MD/MBA, MD/PhD or equivalent) and should qualify for the rank of Professor (preferably) or Associate Professor at SUNY Downstate College of Medicine. Board certification is required, and applicants must be a New York licensed physician or should be eligible for licensure in New York State. Candidates will demonstrate a record of scholarly activity with national recognition or regional reputation and leadership in academia as a physician leader, educator, and/or research scientist. The ideal candidate will have operational and financial management experience and leadership in a hospital or academic health center. The successful candidate will be an advocate for the patients, faculty, fellows, residents, students, and staff, and be committed to mentoring and training the next generation of physicians and physician-scientists.

Korn Ferry is assisting Maimonides with this important recruitment. Please forward applications or nominations of appropriate candidates to:

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