

Midwife Vacancy

The Division of Midwifery at Vancouver Coastal Health-Richmond, invites interested midwives to apply for full time medical staff privileges. Members of the Division of Midwifery work in community based clinics, and provide midwifery services to women and their families who reside in the city of Richmond and surrounding designated catchment communities. The Division of Midwifery has a matrixed structure as part of the Regional Department of Midwifery and the Richmond Hospital Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. The Birth Centre at the Richmond Hospital is an integrated multidisciplinary team, focused on providing safe, patient- centered care while maintaining a high safe vaginal birth rate.

Criteria for Eligibility

A prospective medical staff member (Applicant) must:

- Be registered, or eligible for full registration with the College of Midwives of BC;
- Have a minimum of one year of experience as a registered midwife;
- Plan to join an established midwifery practice in Richmond or South Delta to provide service to our catchment area.

Ideal Candidates will have:

- Proven clinical excellence and experience in the provision of midwifery and maternity care;
 - Professional or leadership experience;
 - Commitment to the hospital(s) and the community;
 - Ability to carry a full midwifery case load*
 - Teaching experience;
 - An interest in providing midwifery care in a language other than English;
 - Demonstrated commitment to positive collegial relationships, furthering the profession of midwifery and engaging in interprofessional collaboration.
- *Preference will be given to applicants intending to work full-time in order to help meet the high demand for midwifery care in Richmond.*

Division of Midwifery

The Division of Midwifery is committed to increasing the presence of Midwifery in Richmond\surrounding communities and welcome new proactive members. We encourage workforce diversity and encourage midwives from underrepresented groups to apply and self-identify.

Application process

Only completed applications comprising of the following will be considered.

- Letter of intent;
- Current Curriculum Vitae;
- Email address to send email to and receive a response;
- Direct phone number (preferably a cell phone);

Please submit completed applications any of the following ways:

On-line: Apply via Health Match BC posting on healthmatchbc.org search: "nursing", "maternity- labour/delivery", "midwifery")

Fax: Medical Admin [604-244-5552](tel:604-244-5552)

If you are unable to open the attached document, please contact Sara Povey at sara.povey@vch.ca or 604-762-4188.

The deadline for completed application packages is **17:00 PST, Monday, January 15, 2017**. Only those applicants that are being considered will be contacted.

Interviews will be held at Richmond Hospital (in-person only).

Successful applicants will be notified within a week of interviews and immediately invited to apply for medical staff privileges. Please note that activation of medical staff privileges can take up to three months.