Job Posting

Post-doctoral Fellow Employment Opportunity (Economic and Equity Analysis)

Converge3 is a policy research centre based in the Institute of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation at the University of Toronto, that focuses on integrating health, economic and equity evidence to inform policy. The Centre is funded by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and includes multiple partner organizations, including Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute at St. Michael's Hospital, McMaster University, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute, ICES, Health Quality Ontario, and Public Health Ontario

Converge3 is seeking a **post-doctoral fellow** to fill a full-time casual appointment for a one-year period. The successful applicant will be responsible for research activities related to the health economics, health equity or both research components of the program. This position will allow for the development of new research methods and techniques related to the project to be spearheaded by the Fellow. In addition, the Fellow will have a unique opportunity to be mentored by, and collaborate with, leading researchers, healthcare stakeholders and policy-makers in Ontario. This position is best suited to an individual who can work independently and as part of a team, and who can provide supervision and mentorship to research trainees.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- PhD in Health Services Research, Health Economics, Epidemiology, Public Health, or a related discipline.
- The ideal candidate will have an advanced understanding of both of the following (we will also consider candidates with expertise in one of the areas):
 - Economic evaluation methods, health technology assessment and resource allocation optimization methods.
 - How equity is conceptualized for resource allocation decisions, health equity impact assessment, economic evaluation methods, and resource allocation optimization methods.

Other desirable qualities include:

- Strong analytic skills
- Good communication skills, excellent writing skills
- Able to work independently
- A desire to take on leadership responsibilities by leading the development of specific research initiatives within the scope of the broader project.
- Candidates who are available to work immediately will be prioritized.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

Interested applicants should provide a cover letter and cv to Sharon.alexander@utoronto.ca. In your cover letter, please address the following:

- Any relevant research experience
- Your work style and communication skills
- When you would be available to begin work on this project

In addition, please include a sample of your work (e.g., research paper or policy brief) that demonstrates your writing ability.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Applications will be accepted until position is filled.