The University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences (UND SMHS) seeks a visionary leader and accomplished academic physician as Chair of the Department of Family and Community Medicine. With faculty, students and residents located at the UND SMHS campuses in Bismarck, Grand Forks, and Minot, the Chair will work collaboratively with institutional leadership and faculty to lead an academic family and community medicine department that will continue to support the critical UND SMHS goal of being viewed as a national leader in rural clinical care, education and research. This is an outstanding opportunity for a physician who wants to remain clinically active while significantly shaping the future of clinical care, research, and teaching in family and community medicine and work with community leaders to meet the region's health care needs.

The Department is particularly proud of its success in the USMLE match program. In May 2015, for the fifth consecutive year, UND SMHS received the American Academy of Family Physicians Top-10 Award for its consistent contributions to building the family physician workforce. UND SMHS is also ranked second in the nation in rural medicine. For more information about the department please go to: <a href="http://www.med.und.edu/family-medicine/index.cfm">http://www.med.und.edu/family-medicine/index.cfm</a>.

The University of North Dakota SMHS offers academic excellence and diversity in a full range of educational programs in the health sciences and is one of the nation's most respected community-based medical schools. Nationally recognized for its curricular innovation and patient-centered learning, the school has developed a deserved reputation for leadership in interprofessional health care education and promotion of a strong understanding of the health care professional team.

The successful candidate will be an outstanding, nationally recognized leader with experience in academic medicine and administration, possess strong interpersonal and leadership skills, and be strongly supportive of medical education and the academic vision. We seek an innovative and creative thinker who is able to recruit faculty, establish clinical programs while enhancing current programs and who will inspire faculty, residents, students, and hospital and community leaders.

Consideration of candidates will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Nominations, applications and inquiries may be sent electronically to the consultants assisting UND SMHS and Sanford in this search: Claudia Teschky or Kerry Quealy at Witt/Kieffer, 2015 Spring Road, Suite 510, Oak Brook Illinois, 60523; Phone: 630-575-6159; email: UNDFamily@wittkieffer.com.

\*Any submission regarding this opening is subject to the open records laws under North Dakota statutes. The names of all candidates and nominees are a matter of public record under the open meetings-open records statutes and policies of the State of North Dakota. Prior to nomination or declaration of candidacy, individuals who may want information on the position are invited to call the Search Consultant.

The University Of North Dakota is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or national origin. Women, minorities, veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Applicants are invited to provide information regarding their gender, race and/or ethnicity, veteran's status and disability status on the form found at <a href="http://und.edu/affirmative-action/apcontrolcard.cfm">http://und.edu/affirmative-action/apcontrolcard.cfm</a>. This information will remain confidential and separate from your application.

The University of North Dakota determines employment eligibility through the E-Verify System. This position is subject to a background check.

The University of North Dakota complies with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy & Campus Crime Statistics Act. Information about UND campus security and crime statistics can be found at <a href="http://und.edu/discover/\_files/docs/annual-security-report.pdf">http://und.edu/discover/\_files/docs/annual-security-report.pdf</a>.

North Dakota veterans claiming preference must submit all proof of eligibility by the closing date. Proof of eligibility includes a DD-214 and if claiming disabled status, a current letter of disability (less than one year old) from the Veterans' Administration. Please upload the DD-214 and other veterans' preference qualifying documentation through the form found at <a href="http://und.edu/affirmative-action/apcontrolcard.cfm">http://und.edu/affirmative-action/apcontrolcard.cfm</a>.