



POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT:
Chair Department of Psychiatry
Southern Illinois University School of Medicine
Springfield, Illinois

Southern Illinois University School of Medicine in Springfield, Illinois is seeking a visionary leader with expertise in innovative program development and change management for the position of Chair of the Department of Psychiatry. Reporting to the Dean and Provost/CEO of SIU Healthcare, this is an exciting opportunity to expand and enhance an academic Psychiatry department that is vital to improving the health of the people and communities of central and southern Illinois.

The Psychiatry Department is committed to the mission of the School of Medicine to meet the healthcare needs of the populations served through education, patient care, research and service to the community. Founded in 1970, SIU has received national and international recognition for innovation in medical education and offers a welcoming environment for dedicated clinicians who love to teach. Two major 500 bed academic medical facilities serve the community and are teaching sites for SIU.

Highlights of the position and area include:

- Opportunity to be part of a dynamic academic leadership team with innovative vision and strategic direction for the future.
- Responsibility for implementing programs which serve the mission of Southern Illinois University School of Medicine related to Psychiatry.
- Responsibility for the overall development, implementation and evaluation of educational programs for medical students, resident physicians, and fellows.
- Accountability for the administration of department operations including fiscal management, faculty recruitment, faculty and staff support, clinical activities, medical practice, education, and research functions.
- Opportunity to foster research and scholarly activity by faculty members, residents and students.
- A competitive salary, excellent benefits package and University funded malpractice plan.
- Family oriented communities, excellent schools and affordable housing.
- Easy access to metropolitan amenities in Chicago and St. Louis.

Qualifications: Must be board certified in Psychiatry and/or specialty area. Licensed or eligible for licensure to practice medicine in the state of Illinois. Demonstrated leadership in teaching, scholarship, and the development of clinical programs. A record of innovative and effective administration and fiscal leadership. Excellent skills in interpersonal relationships, collaboration, and change management are essential. Experience in providing services to multicultural populations, safety and quality improvement initiatives, system integration, outcomes research, and population science are highly desirable. Established credentials in research are necessary for appointment at the full professor level.

For full consideration: A letter of interest and curriculum vitae should be directed to the executive search firm: Jordan Search Consultants c/o Kathy Jordan by email, recruit@jordansc.com; by phone, 866.750.7231; or by mail to Jordan Search Consultants, 113 Church Street, O'Fallon, MO 63366.

Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

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