## Anesthesiologist-in-Chief | The Department of Anesthesia of the Carver College of Medicine at the University of Iowa and the University of Iowa Children's Hospital

Merritt Hawkins, the nation's leading academic search firm has partnered with the Department of Anesthesia of the Carver College of Medicine at the University of Iowa and the University of Iowa Children's Hospital to search for a Division Chief for Pediatric Anesthesia and Anesthesiologist-in-Chief for the Children's Hospital, as well as faculty for the growing division. The Children's Hospital is the only tertiary pediatric facility in the state and the Department of Anesthesia provides care for over 7000 pediatric patients per year in all surgical specialties (cardiac surgery, neurosurgery, transplantation, burns, Level I trauma, Level IV neonatal ICU,) as well as Pain Medicine. The Division Chief position is available to highly qualified individuals at the rank of Associate Professor or Professor, with fellowship training in Pediatric Anesthesia and significant clinical and leadership experience. Subspecialty board certification is required. In addition, a significant record of either educational or research success is required. The University of Iowa Children's Hospital has been consistently ranked among the top children's hospitals in the country.

The new children's hospital building will be a state-of-the-art, freestanding children's hospital and is expected to open in December of 2016. The new facility consists of 11 floors, 400,000 square feet, and will support 195 in-patient beds and eight primary operation rooms, with two cardiac catheterization laboratories and a procedural area. The selected candidate will play a major role in the development of operative services in that facility. The Division of Pediatric Anesthesia consists of 7 faculty who provide and supervise the care provided by 43 Anesthesia residents and 9 certified registered nurse anesthetists. The Division supports an ACGME-approved fellowship in Pediatric Anesthesia.

The pediatric anesthesia team works together as an autonomous group of physicians who share call exclusively for pediatrics. Faculty members receive guaranteed protected time for admin or research. Cutting-edge research opportunities exist to collaborate with the schools of medicine, engineering, nursing, and others colleges. The University of Iowa offers a competitive base compensation and an incentive bonus as well as a comprehensive benefits package with a generous institutional retirement match.

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- World-class entertainment, eclectic culinary experiences, as well as an abundance of literary, musical, and cultural opportunities
- Gorgeous custom homes built on large lots with prices under \$150/sq ft
- Less than three hours' drive from Chicago, St. Louis, and Minneapolis
- International airport access

Interested candidates should contact: David King via email at <u>david.king@merritthawkins.com</u>, or via phone at 469.524.1678.

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