

ROLE STATEMENT

TITLE: Chair of Medicine

ORGANISATIONAL UNIT: School of Medicine

The position will be in the School of Medicine, University of Adelaide but will spend up to 0.5FTE in the Division of Medicine, Lyell McEwin Hospital, Northern Adelaide Local Health Network (NALHN) undertaking clinical duties for NALHN.

The appointee will be based at the Lyell McEwin Hospital and will be expected to participate in the delivery of clinical services in an area of Internal Medicine, supervision of junior staff, and will provide leadership in teaching, research, and service development commensurate with the development of Medicine as an academic entity at the Lyell McEwin site.

The appointee will report to the Head, School of Medicine, as the nominee of the Executive Dean, Faculty of Health Sciences in respect of teaching and research related activities and the key responsibilities for the University of Adelaide (outlined below), and to the Director of the Internal Medicine Service, as the nominee of the CEO, NALHN in respect of clinical duties and the key responsibilities for NALHN (outlined below).

Key responsibilities for The University of Adelaide under these broad responsibilities shall include:

Provide leadership in undergraduate and postgraduate clinical teaching and evaluation in internal medicine

- Continuous improvement in student evaluations of learning and teaching.
- Evidence of innovation in learning and teaching
- Evidence of contribution to development of the medical program including the proposed MD degree

Provide academic leadership to the Division of Medicine in NALHN and promote a culture of research and teaching excellence.

- Physician engagement in teaching and learning, research activity and higher-degree-by-research enrolment by physician trainees.

Assist the Head of School, by providing leadership and management to the Head of School if required

- Meet Faculty and University targets as defined by the strategic plan
- Productivity and professional development of staff in the School in Medicine

Lead research in one or more of the areas of Faculty of Health Sciences research strength

- Publish at least 8 papers each year in peer reviewed medical journals with an expectation of at least one in 'top in field' journals (discovery journals or top IF for discipline) as senior author

- Submit applications for external research income including Cat 1 funding and secure ongoing financial support to sustain the research with an expectation of holding at least one Cat 1 grant as CIA at any one time.

Key responsibilities for the **Northern Adelaide Local Health Network** under these broad responsibilities shall include:

Clinical Delivery

- Responsible for the provision of an effective and efficient medical service within the objectives and the philosophies of the Hospital
- Provision of medical care to public inpatients and outpatients

Clinical Leadership

- Provision of training and supervision to undergraduate and postgraduate medical trainees
- Encouraging and supporting team work amongst staff for optimal clinical service outcomes
- Involvement in continuing professional development activities
- Attending and participating in the clinical meetings of the Hospital
- Adhering to policies, protocols and procedures as determined by the service or the Hospital that will ensure the provision of a high standard medical practice
- Representing the department and the Hospital community, inter-Hospital, regional and State fora as requested by the Head of Service or the Executive of the Hospital

Clinical Administration

- Participation in quality, safety and clinical risk management activities
- Contributing to clinical review programs to monitor standards or practice and ensure the maintenance of quality outcomes.