The North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) is one of 14 local organizations in Ontario that plan, coordinate and fund local health services and deliver high quality home and community care to patients and families. The North Simcoe Muskoka LHIN is committed to health improvement, innovation, and the establishment of collaborative partnerships to improve population health, patient experience and value for money across the health care system.

LHIN staff incorporate the best aspects of teamwork and continuous learning as they work with the local community to ensure the best health outcomes for everyone. If you have a passion for excellence and an entrepreneurial spirit, this is your opportunity to make a difference as part of a dynamic team transforming the Ontario healthcare system.

Physician Lead, Critical Care

Reporting to the NSM VP Clinical, the Critical Care Physician Lead works with the LHIN to advance Ontario's Critical Care Strategy locally within the LHIN and across the province. The Physician Lead will play a key role in promoting high quality standards of critical care throughout our region. The Physician Lead will work in alignment with the NSM Critical Care Steering Committee, as led by Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre (RVRHC). As co-chair of the NSM Critical Care Clinical Standards Committee, the Critical Care Physician Lead will play a key role in monitoring project performance and regularly reporting back to stakeholders on the LHIN's progress in achieving their defined goals.

This role:

- Participate as a member of the Critical Care Lead provincial table, be supported by and work closely with Critical Care Services Ontario and work in alignment with the provincial Critical Care Strategy.
- Assist the LHIN in monitoring and trending the performance of the Critical Care System in NSM utilizing Critical Care Information System (CCIS) indicators to inform health system performance improvement.
- Coordinate and work closely with the NSM Critical Care Steering Committee, RVRHC, CritiCall and other Clinical Leads in the region and province to advance the Critical Care Strategy and Clinical Critical Care Standards Committee work plan.
- Champion quality improvement, standardization and performance management initiatives to improve critical care service delivery across the LHIN.
- Advise the LHIN on allocation of new and existing resources to support critical care capacity across the LHIN hospitals.
- Support initiatives in areas where critical care has a significant impact, such as CritiCall, ORNGE, Trillium Gift of Life, Neurosurgery and Trauma.
- Participate in NSM LHIN surge planning and emergency preparedness

Qualifications

It is understood that the Critical Care Physician Lead is a respected physician actively engaged in system improvement and possessing the following qualifications:

- Member of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons
- Active Staff ICU privileges at an NSM Hospital
- A recognized, experienced and influential leader within the critical care community
- Experience with system level change management
- Demonstrated focus on patient-centred clinical quality.
- Communication and interpersonal skills to work effectively with interprofessional colleagues within and across LHINs, Ministry of Health and Long Term Care and associated agencies.
- Knowledge of provincial health care funding models and familiarity with government financial/funding processes
- Able to continue with existing clinical/administrative duties while assuming the responsibility of the Physician Lead of Critical Care for the NSM LHIN.

To apply for this position, state "Critical Care Lead" in the subject line of your email and send with your résumé to nsm.careers@lhins.on.ca .

The LHIN is governed by the requirements of the *French Language Services Act* and therefore encourages applications from French speaking candidates.

The LHIN is committed to accommodating people with disabilities as part of our hiring process. If you have any special requirements during the recruitment process, please advise Human Resources.

The LHIN is an equal opportunity employer and all applicants are welcome. We thank all applicants who take the time to apply; however, only those invited for an interview will be contacted.

As part of the mandatory screen process the LHIN requires professional references, verification of academic training, professional accreditation, plus a current Criminal Records Check.