



University of Cape Town Lung Institute ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY UNIT

MEDICAL OFFICER

The **Allergy and Immunology Unit (AIU)**, based at the University of Cape Town Lung Institute, requires applications for a **Medical Officer*** on a Fixed Term Contract.

The Lung Institute is wholly-owned subsidiary of the University of Cape Town and is recognised internationally as a leader in the study of treatments for airways diseases, having performed more than 150 research projects field.

The Allergy and Immunology Unit was established in 2000 to provide state of the art clinical and laboratory services for the diagnosis and management of allergic and immune-based diseases, with a mission to transform lives of patients through innovative science and compassionate care.

Minimum Requirements:

- Medical Degree
- Registration with Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA)
- Good Clinical Practice Certification
- Dispensing License (advantageous)
- At least 1 to 2 years of experience in community health programmes.
- Keen interest in Research (particularly Allergy, Immunology and Dermatology)
- Manuscript writing clinical trials experience
- Relevant clinical trial experience as sub-investigator or principal investigator (preferable)
- Computer skills (proficient in MS Office)
- Travel locally and overseas for research-related meetings

Responsibilities include (but not limited to):

- Providing clinical services to patients enrolled onto the unit's clinical trials, with the focus for this position on severe cutaneous drug allergy research at Tertiary Cape Town hospital and industry-driven allergic disease studies at the UCT Lung Institute
- Interface with non-unit clinical and trial staff and regulatory personnel
- Taking care of the patients during their active treatment and follow up period
- Develop acceptable standards in clinical service delivery of disability and outpatient care
- Ensure fair and ethical treatment of all patients involved in clinical trials
- Collecting, compiling and Analysis of patient's data
- Ensure proper maintenance of Patient records, and data management including entry of data into electronic database
- Ensure that the study patient case record forms and clinical documentation meets good clinical practice standards

To apply, interested applicants are requested to submit an updated CV (along with supporting documents) to: uctlirecruitment@uct.ac.za

Applications will only be accepted via email.

Telephone: 021 406 6882

Website: www.lunginstitute.co.za

Reference (in subject line): Medical Officer: AIU

Closing Date: 21 December 2018

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Should you not receive a response within 30 days of the closing date, please consider your application unsuccessful.

***Please Note: This Position is not on UCT Conditions of Service.**