

## **Home Therapies Fellowship**

Number of Positions: 2 each year

**Duration:** 1 year (starting Jan 2 or July 1 with flexibility) **Application deadline:** September 1 for next year start date

Location: Vancouver General Hospital, St Paul's Hospital, and across BC

Salary & Benefits: \$75 000 per annum

The Home Therapies Fellowship is a 12-month program offered in collaboration by BC Renal and UBC's Division of Nephrology.

Home-based dialysis is an important means for improving the quality of life of dialysis patients, and there is a growing recognition that expertise in home-based therapies requires more intensive exposure than may be obtained during a general nephrology fellowship.

## **Details**

The Home Therapies Fellowship helps successful applications develop expertise in the delivery of home-based therapies (peritoneal dialysis and home hemodialysis) through extended exposure to clinical, administrative, and leadership activities. The program aims to help successful applicants advance their knowledge, as well as communication, administration, managerial, collaborative, professional and scholarly skills. It also involves extensive training in home therapy program development, implementation, management, evaluation, and resource allocation.

## **Eligibility**

- Completed at least 24 months of nephrology training in an accredited training program (or, under special circumstances, those who have completed 12 months may apply with the approval of the Residency program supervisory and the Home Therapies Special Fellowship Training Director)
- · Graduated from medical school within 10 years of starting this fellowship
- Preference given to applicants who are enrolled in the Master's of Health Administration program.
- Can speak, read, and write in English to fulfill the College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC English
  Language Requirement. If the applicant's language of primary medical education and patient care was
  not in English, the successful completion of IELTS Academic examination is required.
  - Minimum score of 7 in each component
  - o Test Report Form (TFR) is valid for a period of two years from date taken

More information on the Home Therapies Fellowship can be found <u>here</u>.

## How to apply

Applicants should complete the <u>application link</u> and attach their letter of intent (include proposed start date), CV, and three references.