



Consultant Oncologist

A maternity cover position exists for a fixed-term part-time appointment, for 52 hours per fortnight as maternity cover from August 2020 to March 2021. There may be potential to continue until August 2021 with reduced hours, in a large and dynamic academic Medical Oncology service with large patient numbers and a rapidly growing clinical trial portfolio, including a large Phase 1 Unit.

About Medical Oncology

The Medical Oncology Unit at Monash Health is one of the largest in Australia. It comprises inpatient, outpatient and chemotherapy infusion services as well as an extensive clinical trials unit to provide comprehensive cancer care in all tumour streams and disciplines for all patients. In keeping with Monash Health's iCARE values, the unit acts with integrity, compassion, accountability, respect and excellence to promote best practice and management for the benefit of all patients. Key areas include the provision of chemotherapeutics for all solid organ malignancies being treated with curative or palliative intent. Services are provided at Moorabbin Hospital (inpatient, outpatient and infusion centre), Dandenong Hospital (inpatient, outpatient and infusion centre) as well as Monash Medical Centre (Clinical trials at the Monash Health Translational Precinct – MHTP and inpatient services).

About the Role

To provide cover during maternity leave for a key clinician of the Monash Health Medical Oncology Unit, consistent with the Monash Health values, support best patient care and to further the development of the Medical Oncology at Monash Health into a world-leading academic unit.

To provide clinical expertise and leadership in the management of patients with solid organ tumours in one or more subspecialty tumour areas managed at Monash Health and in particular, patients being considered or enrolled on an oncology clinical trial.

To provide clinical expertise in clinical and translational research in Medical Oncology at Monash Health.

To ensure timely and appropriate communication with other relevant clinicians and healthcare providers to facilitate best management of Monash Health patients.

To be actively involved in Monash Health's teaching, clinical governance and quality and safety programs.

To support the strategic priorities and values of Monash Health.

About You

You will support the strategic priorities and values of Monash Health through:

- Involvement and engagement in unit activities
- Service Provision including on call
- Quality and Safety
- Education
- Unit Meeting and Department Presentations

- Providing clinical mentorship through active involvement in patient care
- Being available to medical colleagues for consultation and liaison as appropriate regarding patient care
- Being immediately available for urgent consultation and assistance in resuscitation and subsequent management of critically ill or injured patients

What you need:

- Have or be eligible for AHPRA Medical Registration
- Victorian Employee Working with Children's Check
- Primary Medical Degree - MBBS and/or Fellowship
- Previous experience

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