

Medical Officer of Health

KFL&A Public Health is a local public health agency with over 225 staff and 150 volunteers who deliver public health programs and services to the people of the KFL&A area. The underlying goal of its services and programs—from immunization, healthy weights, nutritious eating, food safety, raising healthy babies and children, sexual health, tobacco use reduction, and many other public health areas—is to promote and protect the health of the more than 190,000 residents of the Kingston, Frontenac and Lennox & Addington area.

KFL&A Public Health has an opening for a full time **Medical Officer of Health (MOH)**. Reporting to an autonomous Board of Health, the MOH acts as the Chief Executive Officer of the Board and is responsible for advising the Board on all matters related to the protection and promotion of the health of the public, for implementing the Board’s policy and for the strategic management of the agency which includes working with the senior leadership team to maximize efficiency, effectiveness, value for money and other parameters to ensure the best possible services for the people of the area. The MOH represents KFL&A Public Health with all key stakeholders, and actively participates in the Faculty of Health Sciences at Queen’s University, and in clinical programs offered by KFL&A Public Health.

We are looking for an innovative, dynamic, politically astute, skilled public health physician leader. The successful applicant must have a medical degree, a fellowship in Public Health and Preventive Medicine with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, be registered with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and have academic and professional qualifications suitable for appointment to relevant university departments.

KFL&A Public Health is committed to providing its staff with a healthy work environment. The main office is large, bright, spacious, and airy physical environment, complete with in-house exercise and shower facilities. Other attributes include: continuing education and professional development opportunities; flexibility in work hours; family-friendly policies; strong clinical leadership and support; and an open-minded, caring, supportive environment. All of these features play an integral role in employee retention.

KFL&A area offers a unique combination of history, culture, recreation, and a rich academic community, which together make this region a showcase for quality living and careers. Kingston, the largest urban area in the region was chosen as one of Canada’s top five cities for business and lifestyle—all good reasons to consider a career with KFL&A Public Health and a life in the KFL&A area.

If you are interested in this exciting leadership opportunity, please forward your resume, in confidence, to Linda Murray, Chief Executive Officer (Interim), KFL&A Public Health at linda.murray@kflaph.ca. The closing date for receipt of applications is July 23, 2021 but applications will be considered immediately upon receipt. To learn more about KFL&A Public Health please visit www.kflaph.ca.

KFL&A Public Health supports diversity in all of its forms, including but not limited to age, disability, economic circumstance, marital status, ethnicity, gender, gender identity and gender expression, race, religion, and sexual orientation. Accommodations will be made, upon request, for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process.

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