

The Cardiovascular Perfusionist functions in a highly specialized pediatric environment. In this role, the Cardiovascular Perfusionist contributes to clinical, education and research practices in perfusion.

Here's What You'll Love

- A focus on employee wellness with our new [Staff Health and Well-being Strategy](#). Self-care helps us support others.
- A hospital that welcomes and focuses on [Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion](#).
- The opportunity to **make an impact**. Regardless of your role or professional interest, you will be making a difference at SickKids and contributing to our vision of [Healthier Children. A Better World.](#)

Here's What You'll Get To Do

- Contribute to clinical, education and research practices in Perfusion by providing extracorporeal life support to patients requiring the use of cardiopulmonary bypass, extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO) or ventricular assist devices
- Provide patients with temporary support of cardiac and/or respiratory systems in critical care settings
- Participate in inter-hospital ECMO initiation and transportation of patients supported on ECMO
- Act as a perfusion resource and provide clinical support to non-cardiac service areas, including orthopedic and general surgery
- Integrate new knowledge and research into clinical practice in collaboration with the interdisciplinary health care team
- Provide and share knowledge with patient and families, the public and other professionals internal and external to SickKids

Here's What You'll Need

- Graduate of an Accredited Perfusion Program
- Hold a minimum of an undergraduate baccalaureate degree
- Current certification in good standing by the Canadian Society of Clinical Perfusion and American Board of Cardiovascular Perfusion or eligible for same
- Continuing Education Required: Continuing education units (CEU;s) are obtained by attending scientific perfusion meetings (local, national and/or international), presenting and publishing. This activity is necessary to maintain mandatory annual re-certification with the above organizations.
- Experience in Perfusion. Pediatric Perfusion experience is an asset
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Capability of critical thinking and making independent decisions with appropriate responses
- Demonstrated ability to function with confidence under stress in an interdisciplinary care model
- A commitment to understanding and aiding in the pursuit of equity, diversity & inclusion

Employment Type: Full-Time- 1.00FTE

Benefits

- This position is eligible for employee benefits coverage; including health and dental. The full benefits offered will be discussed at the time of position offer.
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