



Chief, Clinical Quality

Improving the quality of Ontario's health care system is a critical goal at Health Quality Ontario (HQQ). For a leader committed to enabling quality improvement, this position offers an ideal opportunity to support this transformational mandate. HQO is the provincial advisor on quality; a catalyst for quality improvement; a principal source of evidence-based recommendations on funding for health care services and standards of care; and a trusted resource for monitoring the performance of the Province's publicly funded health system.

The Position

In this key leadership role, the **Chief, Clinical Quality** (Chief) will provide clinical leadership for advancing the Province's quality agenda. In this part-time position, the Chief will participate as a member of HQO's senior leadership team by identifying opportunities to support a provincial quality agenda with input and participation amongst a robust provincial network of clinicians. The Chief will be instrumental in continuing to raise participation in HQO's activities amongst health professionals and develop strategic clinical partnerships that will help HQO fulfil its mandate. To achieve these broad outcomes, the Chief will effectively engage clinicians and build strong communities of practices to optimize quality of care.

Key leadership initiatives will be to:

- Lead a team of 14 HQO/LHIN Clinical Quality Leads to support quality improvement and integration across the LHINs and connect both local and provincial priorities.
- In collaboration with others at HQO, develop strategies to support and engage clinician leaders' participation in a broad range of quality initiatives.
- Raise awareness amongst clinicians of the work that HQO is doing and aid in the dissemination of evidence-based practices.
- Establish partnerships with provincial, LHIN and other clinical leaders/groups to support quality initiatives and, also, serve as Chair of the Provincial Quality Implementation Committee.

The Candidate

As a clinician leader you have demonstrated your skills in leading health professionals, quality improvement and change management. Recognized as an effective change agent, you have demonstrated your commitment to improving quality in a local clinical setting as well as participating in broader systems-level change. In this visible and influential role with HQO, you will have the opportunity to collaboratively advance clinical care and impact the broader health care system. As an active member of the Senior Leadership Team, your knowledge and expertise will add value across the organization. Externally, you will act as an ambassador for the organization and a peer-to-peer coach with other clinical leaders in the system. Your ongoing involvement in clinical practice and understanding of new developments will allow you to further evaluate the broader health care system and advocate for improvement.

For additional information about Health Quality Ontario, visit their website at <http://www.hqontario.ca/>.

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