



# Job Opening:

## Division Chief, Div. of Vulnerable Children

### UC San Diego/Rady Children's Hospital San Diego

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO (UCSD), DEPARTMENT OF PEDIATRICS (<http://www-pediatrics.ucsd.edu>), AND RADY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF SAN DIEGO (<http://www.rchsd.org>) are committed to academic excellence and diversity within the faculty, staff, and student body and seeks applicants for Chief, Division of Vulnerable Children. The successful candidate would additionally serve as the Medical Director of RCHSD's Chadwick Center for Children & Family at RCHSD, which provides services with the mission of promoting the health and well-being of abused and traumatized children and their families through excellence and leadership in evaluation, treatment, prevention, education, advocacy, and research. The Chadwick Center offers programs and services that provide for the prevention, identification and treatment of abused and traumatized children, as well as to families impacted by domestic violence, and is one of the largest hospital-based child advocacy and trauma treatment centers in the nation, with a combined staff of more than 75 professionals in the fields of medicine, social work, psychology, psychiatry, child development, nursing, and education technology. The Chadwick Center is San Diego's child advocacy center and provides forensic medical services for the entire county of 3 million people. Chadwick doctors and nursing staff operate a 24/7 response to acute child/adolescent sexual assault, with services including 24/7 telephone availability to community physicians, CPS and law enforcement to triage the forensic medical intervention, a daily clinic for physical and sexual abuse, neglect, and "failure to thrive" patients, as well as a health clinic at a San Diego County-run shelter for foster children. RCHSD is a tertiary care facility and the regional Level 1 trauma center for children in San Diego County serving all the serious physical abuse cases in the region. The Division of Vulnerable Children plays a major role in medical education for medical students, pediatric residents and fellows, as well as, planning the medical program at the annual San Diego International Conference on Child and Family Maltreatment and training internationally. RCHSD and UCSD have an interest in developing a strong research program.

Candidates must have an MD. Candidates must have or be eligible for a California medical license. Candidates must have board certification in Pediatrics, and some experience in pediatric hospital medicine. The ideal candidate would have demonstrable leadership and Medical Director experience and substantial experience in pediatric hospital medicine. Candidates are required to show a demonstrated commitment to diversity and equity by submitting a Diversity Statement of past contributions and/or future plans of excellence in this area as part of their application for an academic appointment.

Review of applications will begin on March 15, 2016 and continue until the position is filled. Interested applicants must submit a CV, cover letter and a statement summarizing past or potential contributions to diversity (For further information about contributions to diversity statements, see <http://facultyequity.ucsd.edu/Faculty-Applicant-C2D-Info.asp>). Applications must be submitted through the University of California San Diego's Academic Personnel RECRUIT system at: <https://apol-recruit.ucsd.edu/apply/JPF01017> prior to the closing date.



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