Faculty Position: HIV Prevention and Sexual Health Instructor or Assistant Professor

Department of Population Medicine Harvard Medical School and Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Institute

The Department of Population Medicine (DPM) at Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Institute (www.populationmedicine.org) seeks an early-career faculty member to expand its portfolio of research on HIV prevention and sexual health, with a proposed appointment as Instructor or Assistant Professor of Population Medicine at Harvard Medical School commensurate with qualifications.

This faculty member will initiate and participate in collaborative research focused on HIV prevention and sexual health with departmental faculty and investigators at other institutions. We are seeking candidates who will contribute to the Department's well-established activities in this research area, including epidemiologic, intervention, and implementation science research to understand and improve delivery of HIV preexposure prophylaxis in clinical and community-based settings. Ideal candidates will also contribute to the Department's expanding activities in HIV prevention and sexual health, such as social and behavioral research, health equity, health policy, infectious disease modeling, and prevention and control of bacterial sexually transmitted infections.

The ideal candidate for this position will have the following qualifications:

- Doctorate in appropriate field (e.g., epidemiology, public health, health services or policy, behavioral or social sciences), or MD/DO (ideally with an MPH, comparable advanced degree, or formal training in research)
- A record of high-quality peer-reviewed publications
- Ability to lead and work in multidisciplinary teams
- Interest and skills appropriate for writing grant proposals to multiple funding agencies
- Strong interpersonal and leadership skills
- Demonstrated capacity for obtaining research funding (desirable but not required)

Besides principal research activities, the faculty member will also be expected to spend a portion of time participating in the broader missions of the department and medical school, as follows:

- Teach and mentor medical students, graduate students, and/or research fellows
- Establish and maintain collegial and productive contacts with other researchers and educators in the university and within existing research partnerships
- Contribute to departmental administration as a member of committees

DPM is jointly sponsored by Harvard Medical School and Harvard Pilgrim Health Care and focuses on research and teaching related to improving population health and health care delivery. The department is multi-disciplinary, with a research and teaching portfolio spanning a range of clinical, educational, and health service areas, and has a strong culture of mentorship. DPM is home to multiple rich data resources and has numerous strong local and national connections that amplify the opportunities for and impact of its research. It has strong research partnerships with The Fenway Institute, which works to make life healthier for those who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender, people living with HIV/AIDS, and the larger community:

and the Hospital Corporation of America, which oversees over 150 hospitals and 100 surgery centers across 20 US states. The Department also participates in multiple national collaborative research networks, including the Health Care Systems Research Network. It is currently leading a consortium of 28 institutions in the FDA-funded Sentinel project.

Clinicians may include part-time practice in their activities. Joint appointment in a second Harvard Medical School department or the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health may be appropriate.

Candidates should send their CV and statement of research interests by email to:

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The Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Institute is committed to building and nurturing an inclusive professional community in which diversity is valued and every person feels they have a rightful place, are welcome and respected, and are supported in their endeavors. We welcome applications from members of groups underrepresented in the biomedical sciences, people of all genders, veterans, and individuals with disabilities.

We are an equal opportunity employer, and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, gender identity, sexual orientation, pregnancy and pregnancy-related conditions, or any other characteristic protected by law.