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Thomas Jefferson University is the largest freestanding academic health center in Philadelphia. Founded in 1824, Jefferson Medical College (JMC) is one of the nation's most historic and highly rated medical schools. Its faculty of 2,771 physicians and scientists (1,053 full-time and 1,657 volunteers) are actively engaged in education, clinical care delivery, and expanding research in the biomedical, educational, and health service arenas. JMC has a long history of innovation in medical education and has recently initiated the first phase of a multi-year plan to reform its clinical curriculum, starting with changes that distinguish it from other medical schools.

The Chair of the Department of Medicine will be a physician leader recognized for his or her contribution to the field that includes an understanding of the business and economics of healthcare and experience in achieving results in a complex academic health system. This is a unique opportunity for a forward thinking and flexible leader to invigorate and align the Department of Medicine for the future within the context of the rapidly evolving Jefferson enterprise. This effort will include leading significant clinical, academic, and research growth during a period of institutional integration and transformation.

Qualifications: M.D. or equivalent, board certification, rank of Professor and eligibility for medical license in Pennsylvania; national stature in a focused area of research, teaching, or clinical care; progressive administrative experience, preferably in an academic medical center setting as a chair of a department of medicine or as chief of a division with some system level responsibility; commitment to the professional and leadership development of colleagues and mentees; understands clinical medicine from the perspective of clinical experience and the changing dynamics of medical education, clinical practice and research; demonstrated experience in fiscal management and the changing economics of healthcare reimbursement and financing; develops strong partnerships with all relevant constituents and contributes to the success of the enterprise; understands the broad research mission – basic, translational, and clinical – and is committed to its growth within the context of Jefferson's Mission.

Nominations, inquiries, and applications, including a cover letter and CV, should be directed electronically to:

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