Advertisement for second-year pain medicine fellowship training position

Seeking a second year pain fellowship trainee who is committed to a career in pain medicine with a special interest in acquiring expertise in neuromodulation treatment approaches.

This position would be in a private practice based in Cottesloe and Fremantle, Perth Western Australia.

The practice has been established over more than 20 years and sees a wide variety of patients from children to the aged from town and country across Western Australia. A significant proportion are work injured and motor vehicle accident victims.

The practice orientation is energetically multi-disciplinary with systematic and close liaison with a network of specialised physiotherapists, psychologists and occupational therapists across Perth. The clinic participates with epoce assessment and outcome measurement.

Previously the Fremantle clinic had therapists on-site and also provided a 100 hour group program modelled on the North Shore's Adapt program. It is intended that this clinic would resume function with the trainee on-site and include an orientation towards early intervention pain management for the work injured following the WISE study principles.

A particular feature of this position is the opportunity to become an expert in all aspects of neuromodulation therapy. The clinic has been an energetic provider of this therapy , integrated with multidisciplinary management and rehabilitation, for over 20 years and currently implants around 50 patients per year.

We are currently engaged in two registered prospective studies in the neuromodulation field and there is considerable demand for further research to be undertaken by this clinic.

The trainee would also require expertise in other pain management interventions and have the opportunity to learn from other established experts in Perth.

Remuneration would be in the form of baseline salary plus a proportion of income derived from practice undertaken.

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