The Department of Psychiatry at Queen’s University is seeking an academic psychiatrist in the Division of Developmental Disabilities, an academic-service program, to assist in the treatment of individuals with an intellectual/developmental disability with a mental illness or behavioural disorder (dual diagnosis) in Southeastern Ontario. Clinical work within the Division will be through the inter-professional teams of the Developmental Disabilities Consulting Program and of the regional tertiary mental health provider, Providence Care Dual Diagnosis Consultation Outreach Team. Faculty members of the Division include psychiatrists, family physicians, geneticist, psychologists and occupational therapists.

The Division is responsible for undergraduate, graduate, post-graduate and pre-licensure teaching in developmental disabilities across the various departments as well as a regional community training program to families and caregivers across Southeastern Ontario. For undergraduates training, this includes academic lectures, clinical skills and clinical placements involving residential and community care. Graduate and post-graduate training includes advanced seminars, elective rotations, internships and fellowships. Division members are involved in research on dual diagnosis, autism spectrum disorders, genetics, sensory disorders, inter-professional education, collaborative community-based health care, forensics and epidemiology.

Applicants should have a senior academic track record and experience in IDD as well as evidence of a strong potential in education and research. Applicants must demonstrate outstanding teaching contributions as well as evidence of an ability to work in an interdisciplinary, collaborative environment. Qualified applications will hold an MD degree, have completed post-graduate/fellowship qualifications prior to appointment, and be eligible for licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario.

Kingston is one of Canada’s most beautiful and historic cities. Housing prices compare favourably with the rest of Canada. Kingston is located only two and a half hours from the major Canadian cities of Toronto and Montreal, two hours from Canada’s capital of Ottawa and just a 20-minute drive from the American border.

Queen’s is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, visible minorities, Aboriginal people, persons with disabilities, and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.

The University will provide support in its recruitment processes to applicants with disabilities, including accommodation that takes into account an applicant’s accessibility needs. If you require accommodation during the interview process, please contact: Marianne McGuire, Executive Assistant, Department of Psychiatry, Queen’s University 613-544-4900 ext.73002.

Applications are to include a letter summarizing qualifications and experience, a full curriculum vitae as well as the names and full contact information of three references. To comply with Federal laws, the University is obliged to gather statistical information about how many applicants for each job vacancy are Canadian citizens / permanent residents of Canada. Applicants need not identify their country of origin or citizenship; however, all applications must include one of the following statements: “I am a Canadian citizen / permanent resident of Canada” OR “I am not a Canadian citizen / permanent resident of Canada.” Applications that do not include this
information will be deemed incomplete. Complete applications are to be directed to Dr. Claudio Soares, Professor and Head, Department of Psychiatry, Providence Care Hospital, 752 King Street West, Kingston ON, Canada K7L 4X3. Phone: (613) 544-4900 ext. 73002; Fax: (613) 548-5580; Email: c.soares@queensu.ca. For further inquiries and detailed information regarding remuneration, please contact Dr. Soares. Review of applications is ongoing and will continue until the position is filled.