

# Endocrinology and Diabetes Unit Department of Pediatrics, UBC

#### **UBC** Research Assistant Position

Job Title: Research Assistant/Technician 1

Start Date: As soon as possible (with the possibility of extension)

Covid-19: Remote interview process

**Education:** Any undergraduate degree related to medicine (Biology, Biochemistry, Psychology etc.)

### Job Duties:

Assist with the conduct of clinical research in an academic setting. Activities to which the research assistant may be exposed include the following:

- Patient screening
- Recruitment and follow-up
- Data collection and data entry
- Scheduling subject visits
- Maintaining and organizing records and files for studies
- Performs other related duties as required.

#### Skills:

Excellent oral and written English language skills; excellent organizational skills and attention to detail. Good computer skills with basic programs including excel. Reliability and ability to exercise initiative and independence. Ability to follow and carry out written and verbal instructions. Ability to work with people from diverse backgrounds and to exercise tact, discretion, and confidentiality. Knowledge of medical terminology and previous experience in clinical research would be an asset. Enthusiastic about working with children, families, and medical staff.

### **Research Description:**

The research assistant will participate in a variety of clinical research studies in the Endocrinology and Diabetes Unit at the BC Children's Hospital. The research studies are related to Type 1 Diabetes, Type 2 Diabetes, Endocrinology, and ancillary studies in mental health. The research assistant will perform data collection from patients, data entry, and recruitment of study subjects. The research assistant will be directly supervised by the Principle Investigator(s) and will work closely with the pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes physicians as well as the Division's team of health professionals, research staff, and support staff.

## How to Apply:

To apply, please email Bianca Vizcaino at bianca.vizcaino@cw.bc.ca.