

# Chaplain Wascana Rehabilitation Centre One Year Term Position

Tuesday, March 6, 2018

The Archdiocese of Regina requires a full-time person to serve as Chaplain at Wascana Rehabilitation Centre.

Karen Ziegler, our current Chaplain will be retiring after 22 years of dedicated service to the Church and WRC clients, their families and the staff.

The position will initially be filled on a one-year position while we are waiting for more clarity about the new Sask. Health Authority spiritual care model support system.

A complete job description will be posted on our Archdiocese website and will may also be obtained by requesting one from [bkowalchuk@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:bkowalchuk@archregina.sk.ca) or [mgurash@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:mgurash@archregina.sk.ca)

Due to the short turn-around time to fill the position, **all applications must be received by March 30, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.**

Applications should forward to the attention of **Bob Kowalchuk, Director of Pastoral Services** and should include the following:

- An expression of interest in the Chaplaincy position.
- A statement of relevant experience providing or volunteering in spiritual care,
- Training or courses specific to hospital chaplaincy
- Names of two- character references

Applicants should send either a letter of reference from their priest / parish administrator or member of the clergy with their contact information to verify their support for your application.

The individual who obtains the position must be able to obtain a **Vulnerable Sector Search** though their local police service.

Preference will be given to people who have completed the CPE courses or equivalent education in spiritual care.

We thank all applicants for their interest.

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## **PASTORAL OFFICE ~ Archdiocese of Regina**

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### **POSITION DESCRIPTION FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS**

#### **General responsibilities**

- ministers to Roman Catholic patients, staff and families in the hospital to which she/he is assigned by the Pastoral Services Office of the Archdiocese of Regina
- to be available on an on-call basis for all R.C. patients, staff and families

#### **Special tasks:**

- visit Roman Catholic patients adding a spiritual dimension to their illness
- comfort and bring hope when needed
- make available appropriate sacraments
- be available to staff and family members concerning pastoral care
- attend family meetings on request of either family, physician or social worker
- answer emergencies when available
- work in conjunction with priests assisting with hospital care
- facilitate volunteer pastoral care workers/visitors
- work with priests to keep an on-call list up-to-date
- plan liturgical services and celebrations if required
- help with recruiting and training volunteers, in addition to orienting new volunteers
- develop and maintain contact with a clergy person to whom specific aspects of spiritual care for Roman Catholics may be directed
- other duties as assigned by the Director of Pastoral Services of the Archdiocese

#### **Qualifications:**

- training in Clinical Pastoral Education (at least one unit of C.P.E.), preferred, but not essential
- experience in spiritual care ministry
- ability to work collaboratively as part of a team
- training, organizing and working with volunteers
- good communication skills
- have the ability to work independently and cooperatively
- willingness to attend workshops and engage in further study in the area of pastoral care
- have a deep commitment to Jesus Christ and be a witness of this commitment to patients and others

**Working hours:** 35 hours per week