



Graduate Research Assistant – CART-Mife Study

The Contraception and Abortion Research Team at UBC is seeking a Graduate Research Assistant at a PhD level (must be a current student in PhD Program) to provide research support for a CIHR funded study about the implementation of mifepristone in Canada. Mifepristone is a newly approved medication by Health Canada for medical termination of early pregnancy. This National Implementation Research Project aims to understand health policy, system and service facilitators and barriers to the distribution and implementation of mifepristone abortion practice in Canada.

The position provides an excellent opportunity for a doctoral student to develop research skills and expertise in quantitative research. Under the supervision of Principal Investigator Dr. Wendy Norman, the graduate RA will undertake a variety of tasks, including monitoring the Canadian Abortion Providers Support platform, recruiting participants from physicians taking the mifepristone training, facilitating online surveys, managing survey databases, and assisting with data analysis. The graduate RA will also have the opportunity to work with other team members to develop manuscripts for the study and other tools to support integrated knowledge translation with national health services, health system and health policy partners.

This position requires a doctoral student currently studying in a discipline among the UBC health sciences, ideally with an MSc background. Experience with survey research using Redcap and quantitative data sets, quantitative data cleaning and quantitative analysis using Microsoft Excel, R, Stata, etc is an asset. The position will be paid \$1430/month with a work commitment of 15 hours/week, from January 4, 2021 until March 31, 2022.

To apply, or for any inquiries, please email a cover letter, a copy of your CV, a list of three references and your availability to the CART Research Manager at cart.manager@ubc.ca.

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