

The **BC Cancer Agency (BCCA)** is committed to reducing the incidence of cancer, reducing the mortality from cancer, and improving the quality of life of those living with cancer. It provides a comprehensive cancer control program for the people of British Columbia by working with community partners to deliver a range of cancer services, including prevention, early detection, diagnosis and treatment, research, education, supportive care, rehabilitation and palliative care. It operates five regional cancer centres in Surrey, Kelowna, Vancouver, Vancouver Island, and Abbotsford, with a sixth centre scheduled to open in Prince George in 2012. The BC Cancer Agency's Research Centre conducts research into the causes and cures for cancer.

The BCCA is an agency of the Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA), which plans, manages and evaluates selected specialty and province-wide health care services across BC. PHSA embodies values that reflect a commitment to excellence. These include: **Patients first • Best value • Results matter • Improvements through knowledge • Open to possibilities.**

**Oncology Nurses, Systemic Therapy Program
Regular and Casual Opportunities
Victoria and Kelowna, BC
Req. 8627/8823**

As a valued nurse working within our Systemic Therapy Program, you will provide education, care and support to patients undergoing chemotherapy and hormonal manipulation, as well as ongoing care and support to patients who have completed their treatment. You will be called upon to provide patient consultations, administer chemotherapy and other drug treatments, and assist patients with symptom and side effect management, using both pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic approaches. This role will see you support patients enrolled in clinical trials and provide advice, monitoring and information over the phone to patients between clinic visits.

**Oncology Nurses, Radiation Therapy Program
Regular and Casual Opportunities
Victoria and Kelowna, BC
Req. 9705/9668**

The BC Cancer Agency provides a variety of radiation treatments to patients including external beam radiation, brachytherapy, stereotactic radiotherapy and dual modality treatments. Applying your specialized knowledge and skills within our Radiation Therapy Program, you will work in close collaboration with Oncologists and Radiation Therapists to develop, share and apply new treatment approaches, as well as provide care, education and support to patients undergoing treatment. In addition to assisting patients with symptom and side effect management, you will also support those enrolled in clinical trials, conduct patient consultations and deliver advice, coaching, monitoring and information to patients over the phone.

Your career as an Oncology Nurse at BC Cancer Agency begins with our stimulating environment, which integrates clinical expertise with innovative research to advance your knowledge and continues by giving you the resources to make a tremendous difference in the lives of cancer patients. We have created a working culture where our Oncology Nurses are highly valued and respected members of Canada's leading oncology clinical teams, and supported by incredible learning experiences throughout our specialty nursing programs. With state-of-the-art technology and innovative

resources, you will support your patients with the latest, evidence-based treatment options to make a truly meaningful difference in their lives and the lives of their families. Your career potential will additionally be supported with opportunities to participate in a variety of research projects and clinical trials, as well as a commitment to work life balance through a variety of scheduling options and locations closer to your family.

The Vancouver Island Centre and Centre for the Southern Interior are full service cancer centres of the BC Cancer Agency (BCCA). We provide oncology consultations, chemotherapy and radiotherapy treatments for people living in these regions, as well as a broad range of services including prevention, treatment, screening, genetic counselling and supportive care.

To assist us in providing some of the best cancer care in the world, you must be a graduate of an accredited school of nursing who ideally possesses a Bachelor of Nursing degree. Your strong educational background is accompanied by CRNBC registration, current CPR (Level C) certification and the proven ability to set priorities and organize patient care. We welcome nurses with a minimum of one year of recent experience in oncology. In return for your dedication and impressive skills, you will be provided with ongoing support for your professional development, including extensive continuing education and certification programs.

Bring your compassion and patient-care expertise to our collaborative and world-leading oncology team, where our challenging and rewarding health care environment will help to support and enhance your career.

We invite you to apply by clicking the **"Apply Online Now"** button where you can register for the first time or enter your Username and Password in order to re-access your profile on our system.

Applications will be accepted until these positions have been filled.

For more information on all that the PHSA has to offer, please visit: <http://careers.phsa.ca>. If you have any questions regarding these nursing opportunities please contact Paula Bayot at pbayot@phsa.ca or call 604 875-7291.

For more information about the Agency that you are interested in, please visit the website at www.bccancer.ca

The PHSA is committed to employment equity and hires on the basis of merit. We encourage applications from all qualified individuals, including Aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities and members of visible minorities.