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## Postdoctoral Fellowship in Cancer Pharmacoepidemiology

We are seeking a highly motivated and talented postdoctoral fellow with an interest in cancer prevention and/or pharmacoepidemiology to take a leading role in an externally-funded research project on ovarian cancer. The fellow will work with established primary care data from the Clinical Practice Research Datalink. The specific project, funded by the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, focuses on the use of intrauterine devices vs. oral contraceptives in relation to ovarian cancer incidence. The fellow will join a team of McGill University professors and researchers at St. Mary's Research Centre and the Lady Davis Institute, with co-investigators at the Université de Montréal and the Brigham and Women's Hospital (Boston). The fellow will collaborate with research staff in the development of the necessary analytic files, lead the statistical analyses, and prepare manuscripts for publication. The position is for one year, with the possibility of extension. The position will start as soon as a qualified candidate is found, as early as January 2024. Salary will be commensurate with experience according to institutional guidelines.

### *Qualifications:*

- A doctorate in epidemiology or closely related field
- Strong data manipulation and analytic skills using statistical programming software, preferably SAS
- Demonstrated ability to write clearly and logically in English to produce high quality publications
- Demonstrated scientific rigour and the ability to synthesize and summarize
- Experience with large databases
- Strong organizational and time-management skills
- Autonomy and leadership

### *To apply, interested candidates should send the following to package to [anita.koushik@mcgill.ca](mailto:anita.koushik@mcgill.ca):*

- A cover letter clearly indicating your interest in the research areas and project topic, your career plans, and when you are available to begin
- A CV detailing your academic accomplishments
- A copy of one relevant publication
- The names and contact information of two potential referees (e.g., current and former research supervisors)

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