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I am currently seeking to hire a MSc Epidemiology student interested in maternal-child health research to join the BEYOND Project team to conduct his/her/their thesis.

The BEYOND project is funded through CIHR which aims to assess health outcomes after life-threatening complications in pregnancy known as severe maternal morbidity. Two epidemiological studies will be conducted using Canadian Institute for Health Information (CIHI) national data. One will examine all-cause and cause-specific hospitalizations in Canadian provinces and overall after a severe maternal morbidity in pregnancy. The other will focus on overall health service utilization following a severe maternal morbidity, and the risk of development or worsening of physical and mental illness. The candidate will have the opportunity to work with Dr. Robert Platt and other co-investigators on this grant, including Dr. Ugochinyere Ukah, postdoctoral fellow.

The tasks required of the MSc EPI Student will include:
• Conducting literature and systematic review on areas surrounding grant topic
• Develop cohort
• Perform descriptive and multivariable analyses of data including figures.
• Contribute to manuscript preparation
• Attend project meetings
• Other tasks assigned by the supervisor or principal investigator

The ideal candidate will meet the following qualifications: (please customize)
• A Bachelor’s degree in a health or scientific field
• Currently enrolled in a MSc Epidemiology program at McGill University in good standing
• Experience in scientific writing and/or research is an asset
• Good interpersonal skills and a strong capacity for teamwork
• Proficient in Microsoft Office
• Basic programming skills (R, STATA, other)
• Excellent organizational and communication skills
Salary and Duration: In accordance with McGill University and RI-MUHC standards

Start Date: ASAP (flexible)

To apply: Interested candidates should submit to the lead investigator Dr. Natalie Dayan (Natalie.dayan@mcgill.ca), the following documents:
(1) a cover letter
(2) a curriculum vitae,
(3) an unofficial transcript,
(5) contact information for up to three references

The position will remain open until filled.