

## Respirology

### CANVent Fellowship

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#### Application details

**Prerequisite(s):** PGY 5 or greater, Respiratory Medicine and permitted to practice Internal Medicine in Ontario.

**Estimated % clinical workload:** 80%

**Number of positions annually:** 1

**Duration:** 6 months (no research project), 9 months (with research project)

**Start date:** Nov 1 to April 30 (6 months), Nov 1 to July 31 (9 months)

**Application deadline:** March 31

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**Fellowship Director:** Dr. Douglas McKim

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#### What we offer you

The qualified Neuro-Respiratory Fellow will be a highly motivated learner and clinician. The fellowship will be undertaken at the Ottawa Hospital Rehabilitation Centre and the Ottawa Hospital, under the direct guidance and supervision of Dr. Douglas McKim, Medical Director (co-chair of the first Canadian Guidelines on Home Mechanical Ventilation).

Fellows are involved in the assessment and care of patients enrolled in the Respiratory Rehabilitation Program as well as patients with neuromuscular diseases (NMD), both in the outpatient clinics and within the hospital.

With one-on-one supervision, fellows will learn to investigate and recognize signs of inadequate cough capacity, aspiration risk, and ventilatory insufficiency.