

UNIL (University of Lausanne) is a leading international teaching and research institution, with over 5,000 employees and 15,500 students spread across the Dorigny campus and the sites of CHUV and Epalinges. UNIL and CHUV promotes excellence, individual recognition and responsibility.

The Faculty of Biology and Medicine ([FBM](#)) and the Lausanne University Hospital ([CHUV](#)) are inviting applications for a position of:

**Physician, Head of the gynecology Service
with an Associate or Full Professor title
at the Woman-Mother-Child Department ([DFME](#))**

Starting date: August 2026

Place: Lausanne, Switzerland

The mission of CHUV's [gynecology Service](#) is to provide care for women (including young girls and adolescents) throughout their reproductive lives, at the time of menopause and during the post-menopausal period. Our medical activities are wide-ranging and specialized, covering the treatment of gynecological pathologies (with possible surgical procedures), the medical and surgical care of gynecological cancers (onco-gynecology), benign and malignant breast diseases (senology), reproductive, fertility and menopausal disorders (reproductive medicine), as well as problems of urinary incontinence and organ descent (uro-gynecology). Various psychosocial medicine consultations are provided to complement our gynecology and obstetrics services. They offer one-off advice or long-term support in cases of major psychological or social issues. Finally, the Service and Department are committed to developing research that ensures quality control of clinical work, provides ongoing training for staff and promotes medical advances likely to improve healthcare. In addition, the proximity of the various faculties of UNIL and the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL), as well as the presence of numerous companies, stimulates reflection, collaboration and ongoing research.

Main missions:

1. Direct, organize and ensure the development of all the typical activities of a clinical service in a university hospital.
2. Ensure and reinforce the expertise and security of clinical missions/services, while developing inter-institutional collaborations and synergies in line with CHUV's strategic plan.
3. Conduct and develop high-level, externally-funded, peer-reviewed clinical and academic research, including own research, published in recognized scientific journals.
4. Ensure and guarantee the missions of pre-graduate training (according to FBM requirements), post-graduate training (ISFM cat. A1 training center) and continuing training, in the field of gynecology.
5. Consolidate the influence of the clinical and academic domain both internally and externally.

UNIL and CHUV are committed to promoting gender equality and diversity and strongly encourage applications from female candidates www.unil.ch/egalite.

Desired profile:

- Federal medical diploma (or equivalent recognized by [MEBEKO](#)), MD or MD-PhD.
- Specialist title in gynecology-obstetrics (ISFM or equivalent recognized by [MEBEKO](#)).
- Extensive clinical experience in the field.
- Managerial skills in running a clinical gynecology service.
- Professorial-level academic knowledge with a proven track record in university teaching and ability to set up clinical research programs that can be supported by expert external funding
- Good knowledge of French (LM or minimum B2, C1 ideal) or ability to acquire it rapidly.
- Preference will be given to a personality open to communication and cooperation, capable of stimulating young colleagues destined for a hospital-academic career.

Further information may be obtained from Pr Renaud Du Pasquier (doyen.fbm@unil.ch), Dean of the Faculty or from Pr Jean-François Tolsa (jean-francois.tolsa@chuv.ch), Head of Department.

Applications, in English, should include 1) a motivation letter, 2) a curriculum vitae, 3) a list of publications highlighting the five most significant ones, 4) a brief statement of the past and future research, 5) a summary of previous teaching experience, 6) your vision of the field's development in the mid/long term, 7) names and contact information of at least three references, 8) a copy of diplomas and a valid ID card. They should be submitted online by **March 2nd 2025 (23:59 GMT+1)** to www.fbm.unil.ch/releve/application/ as a single PDF file. **Only applications sent through this site will be considered.**

The job description is available on [the same link](#) (or QR code).

We offer a pleasant working atmosphere in a multicultural, diverse and dynamic academic environment. There are possibilities for continuing professional education and a multitude of activities and other benefits to discover.

