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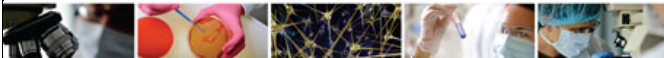
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Mouse lung infection
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The Lung Inflammation and Infection team is based in the Iron Metabolism group. This position will be involved in studies on the relationship between iron, bacterial infection and the pathogenesis of airway disease in cystic fibrosis and COPD. Novel antimicrobials will be assessed against biofilms.

We seek an individual to assist with the development of a model of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* infection in cystic fibrosis mutant mice to allow the investigation of novel antimicrobial therapies. The position will involve mouse work including endotracheal administration of aerosols as well as molecular biology techniques, flow cell biofilms and tissue culture.

Applicants should have at least a bachelor degree in science coupled with laboratory experience in molecular biology and in vivo mouse experimentation. Good problem solving skills and enthusiasm for the role, well developed organisational and communication skills are essential. Experience in microbiology, tissue culture and flow cytometry will be highly regarded. To be appointed at Research Officer level you will also require a PhD.

Salary: Salary range is \$54,250 - \$73,624 per annum. This is a full-time appointment for one year.

To apply: Submit your application online at www.qimr.edu.au/page/Careers/Positions_Vacant/

Applications should address the selection criteria and include curriculum vitae, proof of qualifications, and the names and contact details of three professional referees.

Closing Date: 26 July 2013

Further information: Contact Dr David Reid on 07 3845 3999 or David.Reid@qimr.edu.au or Professor Greg Anderson on 07 3362 0187 or Greg.Anderson@qimr.edu.au

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