



Cornea, Anterior Segment and Refractive Surgery Position

University of Ottawa Eye Institute - The Ottawa Hospital

The Department of Ophthalmology at The Ottawa Hospital (TOH) invites applications a **full-time**, **fellowship-trained Cornea**, **Anterior Segment**, **and Refractive Surgery specialist** to join our dynamic team at the University of Ottawa Eye Institute.

This position offers a unique team-based mix of **clinical**, **surgical**, **academic**, **and research** work including:

- Dedicated clinical and OR time for cornea, refractive, and anterior segment procedures.
- An academic appointment with the University of Ottawa.
- A prominent teaching role for residents and other trainees.
- An appointment with the Ottawa Hospital Research Institute (OHRI).

Preference will be given to candidates with experience in lamellar and penetrating corneal transplants as well as complex anterior segment cases (e.g., IOL exchange, iris reconstruction) and refractive surgery. We are particularly seeking individuals who are committed to advancing the research, academic, and administrative goals of both the Department of Ophthalmology and the University of Ottawa.

Primary Responsibilities

- 1. Provide primary Cornea care for Ottawa and surrounding communities.
- 2. Participate in the on-call rotation at The Ottawa Hospital
- 3. Teach and supervise learners (medical students, residents, fellows and ophthalmic medical technologists) and colleagues in clinic, OR and didactic settings.
- 4. Contribute to departmental service through committees, meetings, and assigned administrative roles.
- 5. Develop and deliver educational courses and presentations to internal and external groups.

Resources Provided

Access to TOH outpatient clinics.

• Operating room resources at TOH (allocation contingent on sustained teaching involvement and support of departmental educational and administrative activities).

Minimum Requirements

- MD or MD/PhD
- Completion of an accredited ophthalmology residency
- Minimum of 12 months of post-residency fellowship training in Cornea, Anterior Segment, and Refractive Surgery
- Canadian citizenship or permanent residency
- Certification (or eligibility for certification) in Ophthalmology with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada
- Licensure (or eligibility for licensure) with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario
- CMPA coverage
- Exceptional international candidates may be considered under the CPSO's Academic License pathway, sponsored by the University of Ottawa

Application Details

Application Deadline: December 8, 2025

Anticipated Start Date: On or around July 1, 2026

To apply: Please email the following to bsavcic@toh.ca:

- Curriculum Vitae
- Cover Letter
- List of References

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