

Gastroenterology

Karlstad, Värmland region
SWEDEN

Main responsibilities and expectations

- The hospital in the Värmland region is looking for specialists in Gastroenterology.
- Their healthcare is knowledge-based and appropriate, individualized, efficient, and equitable. They work with person-centered care that is based on the individual patient's needs.

What's expected of you

- Specialist in gastroenterology
- Independent endoscopist with regard to gastroscopy and colonoscopy.
- Must be able to manage patients with general internal medicine conditions. Specialist in general internal medicine is a plus.
- Must be able to participate in on-call duties within internal medicine in the long term. There are different types of on-call duties that may be relevant.
- To be collaborative.
- Ability to complete the intensive Swedish language course (MediCarrera program) is required.

Salary and conditions

- Employees receive 25–32 paid vacation days, depending on age.
- Region Värmland offers a vacation exchange, allowing employees to trade the vacation pay supplement for 5–6 extra vacation days.
- Opportunities for continuous learning and skills development are provided.
- Employees benefit from good insurance coverage and employment benefits.
- Flexible working hours are available in most units.
- Specialist and senior physicians generally earn SEK 75,000–100,000 (approximately EUR 6,750–9,000) gross per month, depending on experience and competence.
- On-call duties are compensated either financially or with time off.

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- A free visit to see the place where you will live and work and meet future colleagues.
- A free online preparing and intensive language course.
- A free intensive online language course for partners.
- 2 weeks of face-to-face classes in Spain, with accommodation and free flight tickets for the doctors.
- A scholarship for the intensive language course of 1200€ monthly.

OUR SUPPORT

- We find you a place to live and help to register your children in a school or kindergarten.
- We help you with practical matters, such as social security number, medical card, bank accounts, etc.
- We help your spouse with sources for job search.
- We contact the moving company and arrange the moving trip.
- You receive an information package with practical details and a contact person to call in case of any problems.

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ABOUT THE HOSPITAL



Gastroenterological care is provided at the hospitals in Karlstad, Arvika, and Torsby, with Karlstad responsible for the most specialized care. We have a very extensive outpatient service focusing on inflammatory bowel disease and medical liver diseases. At the outpatient clinic, there is the possibility to perform some endoscopy, and there are several ultrasound machines for abdominal ultrasound and elastography. Inpatient care is provided at ward 58, which has 6–8 beds for gastroenterology. The hospital has extensive endoscopy services, where you as a gastroenterologist work together with full-time employed endoscopists. The gastroenterology section is part of the Department of Medicine, which is responsible for on-call services in general internal medicine at the Central Hospital.

Karlstad Hospital

Centralsjukhuset Karlstad functions both as the county hospital for all of Värmland and as a local hospital. At Centralsjukhuset Karlstad, highly specialized care is provided—care that most people need only on a few occasions in their lives. There are around twenty different specialties, including ophthalmology, dermatology, gynecology, nephrology, pediatrics, surgery, PCI, and oncology. There are approximately 500 beds. The hospital has about 3,800 employees, including around 500 physicians, 1,300 nurses and midwives, 80 physiotherapists, 750 assistant nurses, 750 laboratory staff, 255 medical administrators, and 350 service staff.

Karlstad

Värmland Region



Värmland is a beautiful and welcoming region in western Sweden, famous for its deep forests, clear lakes, and calm, high-quality lifestyle. It offers the perfect balance between nature and modern living, with safe communities, strong public services, and great opportunities for outdoor activities all year round. It's an ideal place for anyone looking for space, nature, and a relaxed but well-organized Scandinavian way of life.

Karlstad is the vibrant capital of Värmland, beautifully located by Lake Vänern, one of the largest lakes in Europe. The city offers a great quality of life with a lively city center, cozy cafés, green parks, and scenic waterfront areas. It's a modern, safe, and friendly city where you can enjoy both urban comfort and easy access to nature.

The city is also an important hub for healthcare, education, and innovation, with Karlstad University adding an international and dynamic atmosphere. With good schools, cultural events, and plenty of outdoor activities nearby, Karlstad is an excellent place to build both a career and a comfortable family life.

INTERESTING INFORMATION

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