

**ENDOWED CHAIR, COGNITIVE HEALTH  
WAKE FOREST SCHOOL OF MEDICINE-CHARLOTTE  
CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA**

The Wake Forest School of Medicine-Charlotte and Atrium Health have received a \$2M endowment to support the inaugural **Shelton Endowed Chair for Cognitive Health**, with strong development efforts ongoing to secure additional philanthropic resources across the donor community. The Shelton Endowed Chair for Cognitive Health will have a comprehensive leadership role in neurology, neuropsychology, geriatric psychiatry, and senior care as related to cognitive neurology.

This role will be part of the new [Wake Forest University School of Medicine-Charlotte](#), which has broken ground on a new 20-acre site in midtown Charlotte. The initial class of Wake Forest University School of Medicine-Charlotte's first year medical students will begin their education in 2025. This role will work in a cooperative approach with the [Wake Forest Health ADRC](#) with access to clinical trials, cooperative research approaches, and ongoing clinical collaboration.

The new Endowed Chair will also be part of the [Atrium Health Neurosciences Institute](#), one of the largest neurosciences programs in the country. Neurosciences at Atrium Health is a key pillar for system-wide advancement, with a rapidly growing network of 185 physicians; 106 APPs; 14 Fellowship Programs; and 3 Residency Programs. This includes more than 175 active research trials across the Neurosciences Institute, including industry sponsored trials, investigator led studies, and government/non-profit funded studies. Atrium Health is a 40-hospital system and now part of Advocate Health, the third-largest non-profit, integrated health system in the US.

We invite highly qualified candidates who are committed to excellence in patient care, possess strong clinical skills, and have an interest in academics. Candidates should have strong experience and expertise in cognitive clinical care. Leadership or administrative experience is a plus.

**Qualifications include:**

- ▼ M.D. (or equivalent degree) in a related field of study.
- ▼ Board certification (or eligibility) and eligibility for medical licensure in North Carolina in neurology with an emphasis on Behavioral & Neuropsychiatry; certification through the United Council for Neurologic Subspecialties (UCNS) preferred;
- ▼ Demonstrated leadership experience including administrative experience is preferred.
- ▼ Strong clinical skills and desire to maintain a vibrant clinical practice.
- ▼ A track-record of scholarly activity.

**Application Procedures**

- ▼ Applicants should contact the Grant Cooper Team, reaching out to Page Eittle at [page@grantcooper.com](mailto:page@grantcooper.com). Application review will begin immediately and continue until the position has been filled.
- ▼ Candidate nominations can also be directed to [page@grantcooper.com](mailto:page@grantcooper.com)