Family Medicine Opportunity Gore Bay, Ontario



Gore Bay, Manitoulin Island A great place to practice and a great place to live!

The Gore Bay Medical Centre is seeking a family physician to join a unique rural medical practice on beautiful Manitoulin Island. This small rural practice proudly serves the 2,500 residents of western Manitoulin with a full range of diagnostic, treatment and prevention services, including primary care, minor emergency care, minor surgery, diagnostic x-ray, basic laboratory and telemedicine. The group also provides care in a 64 bed nursing home, and at two local First Nation clinics.

Working with the new Gore Bay physician will be a highly regarded colleague with over 12 years family medicine experience in the community. In addition, 2 senior physicians transitioning out of practice will be available to assist the successful candidate, and will provide locum coverage if required.

The practice has a friendly, efficient and experienced staff (and very low staff turnover). Clinical rooms are well appointed and the practice uses a powerful and research friendly EMR. The municipally owned clinic building is easy to maintain and very well equipped, with support for capital projects from appreciative service clubs and community members.

The practice is a highly regarded teaching site for medical students and family medicine residents at the Northern Ontario School of Medicine, as well as elective students from the other medical schools in the province.

In Gore Bay <u>everything</u> is centrally located. The clinic, pharmacies, shops, restaurants, school, post office, nursing home, arena, waterfront, marina and residential streets are all nearby. No time wasted commuting - more time for your family and/or your leisure! Gore Bay and Manitoulin Island are well suited to physicians and their families that enjoy active outdoor recreational pursuits - cycling, hiking, running, bird-watching, golf, boating, water sports, and winter sports among others.

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Practice Includes:

- 37 days of locum funding through Health Force Ontario (HFO)
- Teaching and Research opportunities with the Northern Ontario School of Medicine (NOSM)

Compensation and Incentives Include:

- Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement (RNPGA2)
- Community eligibility of \$113,200 grant (Northern and Rural Recruitment and Retention Initiative), paid over four years by the MOHLTC
- 1 year free rent at the medical clinic
- Relocation Assistance of \$5,000
- Signing Bonus \$30,000 paid out over 3 years

*All programs, incentives, and rates are subject to change according to the MOHLTC.