

Obstetrician/Gynecologist locum position West Lincoln Memorial Hospital

West Lincoln Memorial Hospital (WLMH) has been caring for West Niagara residents for over 70 years. As a community hospital, WLMH provides both inpatient services and outpatient services including emergency services, low intensity rehabilitation, palliative care, surgery, and a maternal and newborn care program. As a site of Hamilton Health Sciences, WLMH also serves as a point of access to one of the largest health systems in Canada for patients requiring more specialized care. The Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at Hamilton Health Sciences is affiliated with the Michael G. DeGroot School of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences at McMaster University, Hamilton and is recognized for its distinguished standing in medical education and research.

WLMH has an exciting opportunity for an **Obstetrician/Gynecologist locum position** to work in providing care for low-risk pregnancies, gynecological care and surgery in our newly updated surgical department. The Obstetrician/Gynecologist, also would provide consultant support for a large group of family physicians, who provide primary care to the community as well as family physicians who do obstetrics and Midwives.

WLMH in 2019 completed an 18 month infrastructure project, including updating the operating rooms, and continues to reintroduce obstetrical and surgical services following redirection of services related to COVID-19. WLMH is in the process of redevelopment, with a new facility slated to open in 2025.

Qualifications: Interested applicants must have a FRCS(C) in OB GYN, and be eligible for a license to practice in Ontario. Applicants must also satisfy the credentialing requirements of Hamilton Health Sciences.

Compensation and Incentives: An incentive of \$50,000 is available to the successful candidate in return for a commitment to a one-year period of service and \$25,000 for commitment to a 6 month period to begin no later than October 2022; incentives for other periods of time and start dates will be considered on a case by case basis. Compensation for local housing necessary during on-call activity will also be provided. The Locum Physician will be entitled to 100% of OHIP billings with opportunity to negotiate other supports and compensation. Individuals interested in a more limited locum time are encouraged to apply and may also be eligible for incentives to be negotiated.

To apply, please submit your CV and letter of interest to Dr. Bryon De France, Chief of The Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at defrance@mcmaster.ca July 31st, 2022.

Hamilton Health Sciences (HHS) fosters a culture of patient and staff/physician safety, whereby everyone is guided by our Mission, Vision, Values and Values Based Code of Conduct. HHS is a teaching Hospital and all staff and physicians are expected to support students and other learners. HHS is an equal opportunity employer and will accommodate any needs under the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom, Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act and the Ontario Human Rights Code. Hiring processes will be modified to remove barriers to accommodate those with disabilities, if requested.

We would like to thank all who apply, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.