Elliot Street Clinic, Perth ON

There is an open FHO spot (not for sale) for 1 physician in Perth, Ontario. This is for an approximate 700 patient practice which the current physician covers in 2.5 days per week. There is no after hours care required as more than 50% of the physicians work in the local emergency department. Overhead is approximately 25%. There are six other physicians and one nurse practitioner in the clinic who are all very friendly, easy to work with and supportive. The clinic is new and has lots of light, enormous exam rooms, new equipment and excellent, comprehensive nursing and administrative support.

Perth is a beautiful community approximately 50 minutes away from downtown Ottawa and an hour from Kingston. There are excellent local schools, cheap real estate, amazing restaurants and shops and very accessible outdoor activities with several provincial parks nearby.

There is an expectation that the physician taking over this practice will provide hospitalist coverage for their own patients as well as an approximate 1 in 15 orphan hospitalist coverage (average 2-3 admissions per orphan coverage day). Our group is very supportive with several physicians commuting from Ottawa and so we do share inpatients at times so there is no need to drive in every day. There is also weekend hospitalist coverage. The Perth hospital has support with internal medicine, general surgery, obstetrics and gynecology, orthopedic surgery and urology.

There are also opportunities for physicians to work in the local ER if desired. There is a mentorship program available for people who have never worked in an ER to be able to have a second physician on with them for their first 120 hours of work in the ER. This is an amazing opportunity for new graduates. There is also ample opportunity to get involved in OR assisting and palliative care including mentorship for providing medical assistance in dying if you are interested.

Please contact James Simpson at jsimpson@qmed.ca for more information! There is also the opportunity for someone to locum for awhile and decide if this position is the right fit before committing fully.