

#### TITLE OF POSITION:

OBSTETRICIAN/GYNECOLOGIST - The Northumberland Hills Hospital is currently seeking a full-time Obstetrician / Gynecologist to join our vibrant team/community.

Practice opportunities include primary and consultation obstetrics, gynecology surgery (fully equipped for minimally invasive laparoscopic surgery), outpatient clinics and emergency department consultation.

## MATERNAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM

The Maternal Child Care program provides low risk obstetrical care (Level 1). The inpatient birthing unit provides a family centered environment that is equipped with six labour and delivery beds – each with their own private and home-like suite; four overflow beds; an operating room; and an advanced fetal and patient monitoring system. A baby safety system provides 24-hour surveillance. The program includes access to the Pre-natal Admission Clinic, which extends the relationship with women and their families.

The Maternal Child Care Service currently has approximately 500 births per year and has capacity to grow. The Maternal Child Care team consists of registered nurses specifically trained in obstetrical care, obstetricians, family physicians, midwives, anesthetists, respiratory therapists, pharmacy staff, dietitians, and volunteers. This team is committed to, and embraces quality patient care and is involved in the MoreOB risk management program and follows the Society of Obstetricians and Gynecologists guidelines. The program is committed to mother-baby dyad care and works within a patient and family centred model of care. The hospital is currently working toward Baby Friendly Initiative accreditation and provides breastfeeding support.

#### **TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:**

- Must have Fellowship in Obstetrics/Gynecology from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC)
- Licensed with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (or eligibility for licensure in the Province of Ontario)
- Must possess strong interpersonal skills and proven ability to work effectively with all department / team disciplines in a supportive best practice environment (interprofessional collaboration)
- Proven evidence of continued medical education commitment in related field
- Demonstrated ability to integrate current evidence and best practice into the delivery of quality care
- Must be willing to provide team-shared 24/7 on-call coverage with group staff specialists under a formal HOCC Agreement and be available for 1 in 3 weekend coverage.

# **SKILLS REQUIREMENTS:**

- Full-spectrum general obstetrics and gynecology scope of practice; subspecialty in ultrasonography and / or colposcopy preferred.
- NHH is affiliated with three major Universities and is a recognized educational site for Family Medicine Residents and Undergraduates. The preferred candidates would be expected to participate in teaching postgraduate and undergraduate medical trainees.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

The applicant must be competent and up-to-date with regard to general obstetrics and gynaecology. Experience in ultrasonography and colposcopy, as well as minimally invasive surgery is preferred. Post-Fellowship experience preferred.

#### WAGE:

Remuneration is based on Fee-for-Service; HOCC

## **BENEFITS PACKAGE BEING OFFERED:**

Our organization does offer a competitive incentive package to assist with moving/relocation including a non-repayable and interest free loan for an agreed upon term of return of service.

## **LOCATION OF WORK:**

1000 DePalma Drive, Cobourg Ontario Northumberland County

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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