

Kawartha Community Midwives requires a locum midwife to cover a sick leave starting as soon as possible. The initial locum contract would be for four months, from September 1, 2017 until December 31, 2017. The potential exists for this contract to be extended for a longer period of time, or possibly to become permanent dependent upon fit and circumstances.

We are a practice of 8 midwives. Our scope does not currently include epidurals or oxytocin, although epidural scope is in progress. We have a 30% out of hospital birth rate, including births in our clinic birth room with birthing tub.

The locum midwife would be part of a team of 2 midwives, each with a 30 BCC/ year caseload. The schedule alternates with one week on call for births and home visits, followed by one week of clinic during which the midwife is off call and can typically expect a 3-4 day weekend where they are completely off. Our practice strives towards an egalitarian, respectful, supportive working environment. We have 2 support staff that keep the clinic running smoothly. Our clinic is located in a beautiful Victorian house, walking distance to downtown Peterborough and 5 minutes from Peterborough Regional Health Centre, where we have privileges. Our catchment area extends 45 minutes in all directions from the clinic. We are happy to support the locum midwife in finding local living accommodations if needed.

Please respond by email with a cover letter, résumé, references and availability to Lisa Wishnefsky at <a href="mailto:liwishnefsky@hotmail.com">liwishnefsky@hotmail.com</a>. Application deadline is Thursday July 27, 2017.

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