



Team 3 at The Midwifery Group is seeking a Registered Midwife

Full or part-time locum, flexible start date and length!

This position is on a team of four midwives, one of whom is looking to take a leave ASAP. We are open to creative suggestions, but current thoughts include:

- Job-share the workload of 1 RM-time as early as May
- 4-6 month full time locum starting as soon as May
- Possibility of joining our team in an ongoing way afterwards for the right fit

On-call and clinic responsibilities are shared equally among us and most of our call shifts are 24 hours. We are an urban practice and book a caseload of the equivalent of three full-time midwives to allow for regular time off (usually 2-3 weeks off with 7-8 weeks of shared clinic/call in a 10 week period) and are at full capacity most months. We hold privileges at BC Women's Hospital. As an established team since 2012, we enjoy a high rate of repeat clients.

The Midwifery Group is a busy and supportive practice located in a sweet and cozy store-front location on Main Street in Vancouver, British Columbia, in a mixed neighbourhood close to the hospital, allied health providers and awesome restaurants. Established in 1998, we have a strong presence in our community and relish the diversity of our clientele. We believe in supportive and sustainable models of sharing call and we strive to maintain a healthy long term work-life balance. Our clinic currently operates with two teams of midwives that meet regularly for clinic meetings and pride ourselves on helping each other in times of need.

We are well-supported in the clinic by a wonderful trio of office managers for our administrative needs, dedicated billing, and practice owners who are also working midwives in the community. We use OSCAR EMR for our charting, so experience with this is a bonus.

Our team values our cooperative working relationships with each other and our maternity care colleagues. This initial locum could provide the opportunity for you to become familiar with our practice and see how you fit within our team and community. The ideal candidate is an adept team player with a collaborative and reliable work ethic, who is a strong communicator and has experience working in a team-based environment and commitment to providing exemplary midwifery care.

Both experienced midwives and new graduates from accredited midwifery programs are welcome to apply, as mentorship can be provided as needed. The applicant must be eligible for registration with the BC College of Nurses and Midwives and the Midwives Association of BC as well as eligible to apply for hospital privileges at BC Women's Hospital Department of Midwifery. Temporary privileges at BCWH are possible depending on the duration and nature of coverage though your own privileges are a great asset, particularly if able to provide more immediate support.

Send us your ideas and applications right meow - we look forward to chatting with candidates who are an excellent fit for our enthusiastic, supportive (and fun!) team. It's a wonderful group of midwives at The Midwifery Group and being part of an amazing group practice is one of the things that has carried us this far in a wild pandemic year!

Please submit your CV, references, available start date, and a letter of introduction to laura.willihnganz@gmail.com We look forward to hearing from you!

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