



Blue Heron Midwives

30 Dupont Street East, Unit 105

Waterloo, Ontario

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General Registrant Locum
Start Date: Early 2022
Full Caseload - 36 BCC's

Blue Heron Midwives is situated in beautiful uptown Waterloo and serves the surrounding communities of Waterloo, Kitchener, Baden, New Hamburg, and surrounding Woolwich township. Waterloo region is a diverse, growing community with lots of outdoor recreation, a vibrant arts scene, and amazing restaurants. The region is home to Canada's largest tech companies, a college and 2 universities.

Our practice opened in 2011 and provides care to a diverse population. Blue Heron Midwives prioritizes populations including newcomers to Canada, refugees and pregnant people without OHIP. We offer Connecting Pregnancy (prenatal group care) and New Baby Time (postnatal group care), currently being provided virtually but we're hopeful this will return in person soon. Our home birth rate is >20%, and we happily attend primips, grand multips and everyone in between at their choice of birthplace. We are a practice of six midwives working in a shared care model. We provide ample off-call and vacation time in a fun & collaborative atmosphere. We offer protected clinic time (no call & clinic), 4-day weekends approximately every other week, and a rotating, dedicated midwife for 2nds & sleep relief.

We hold privileges at Grand River Hospital in Kitchener, a level 2+ hospital with approximately 4500 births annually. We enjoy positive inter-professional relationships in a busy unit. We maintain care for epidurals; however, oxytocin is a transfer of care. Grand River Hospital now requires all staff, including credentialed staff, to be fully vaccinated for Covid-19. Privileges will not be granted without proof of two Health Canada approved vaccinations.

We are currently looking for 1-2 midwives to cover locum(s) starting as soon as possible for 12-18 months with the potential of extension. If you are interested in working in a mid-sized city with a small-town vibe, paddling & exploring 3 different rivers, working hard but laughing more, you've found the right place.

Applicants are invited to forward their CVs by email to Blue Heron Midwives at info@blueheronmidwives.com.

To learn more about Blue Heron Midwives please visit our website at www.blueheronmidwives.com

We look forward to hearing from you soon!