

# Midwifery Services of Durham

## GENERAL REGISTRANT POSITION

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### ABOUT US

Midwifery Services of Durham has been serving the needs of childbearing families in Durham, Markham and Stouffville for over 30 years. Our practice is composed of a large team of hard working, dedicated women who pride themselves on providing excellent client care and supporting their colleagues. Our practice has a solid business model and is efficiently run with a Senior Managing Partner and Office Manager. We offer electronic documentation (Accuro), practice full scope and work out of two beautiful clinic locations in the Markham and Durham area.

Our practice proudly works in the Alongside Midwifery Unit at Markham Stouffville Hospital, the first such unit of its kind in Canada. Established in 2018, the AMU offers clients a home like atmosphere where they can birth in a variety of positions, use birthing pools, and deliver in the serenity of themed rooms that offer music and calm lighting. Clients can access epidural if they choose and the AMU is steps away from the obstetrical unit should any emergencies arise. A full time Hospitalist Midwife on the unit will assess client labours in the day or night, start inductions, cover night time pages and provide back ups at all births. The hospitalist midwife will also triage urgent client concerns and is on hand to offer support and professional guidance when needed. The model offers a safe, comforting space for families and their midwives.

Our practice takes on enough caseload to provide all full time midwives 40CCs and to support some of the financial needs of the AMU. We work in a shared care model in teams of 3 where midwives enjoy generous amounts of time off, approximately 17-18wks/year to balance the busy caseload. This amount of time off and the benefits of having a Hospitalist Midwife to assist the caseload, provides a great work life balance for our midwives.

### APPLICANT

We are currently looking for a General Registrant Midwife to join us in February 2022 to work on a shared care team. The applicant needs to have a healthy work attitude and be a strong team player. Experience in oxytocin and epidural is preferred. We strive to create a safe and inclusive environment and welcome applications from BIPOC and LGBTQ+ midwives, IMPP graduates and midwives who speak languages other than English.

### HOW TO APPLY

Please send your cover letter and CV to [midwives.durham@gmail.com](mailto:midwives.durham@gmail.com) and thank you for your interest in our practice!

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