## THE MIDWIVES OF ALGOMA



Midwives of Algoma are looking for a **New Registrant** to join our team.

We are currently a practice of 3 full time registered midwives, 1 new registrant (who will be staying as a general registrant), with 2 midwives expected to return from leave in late fall 2023. We are looking for someone to start on or before October 2023, with an established full-time caseload. Our clinic is in the newly renovated Superior Health Building in downtown Sault Ste. Marie.

We work in a primary call model in teams of two with every other weekend off Friday am- Sunday PM, flexible time off throughout the year as well as protected sick time. New registrants (and general registrants) can expect a supportive environment, with experienced midwives readily available for questions, level 1 consults about care plans, and general support.

We enjoy a positive and fully integrated relationship with our hospital and have an especially good relationship with the nurses and OBs on our unit. Because we are a small northern practice, with limited human resources, we are a true team, and we are looking for a midwife who values their colleagues in that way. Scope of practice includes induction/augmentation without consult and epidural with privileges at Sault Area Hospital.

Working in Sault Ste. Marie, you will be supported in participating in opportunities for continuing education. The Midwives of Algoma were the first in Canada to first assist in cesarean sections. We continue to assist at the majority of c-sections in our city and would support an applicant in completing this training prior to or after joining the practice should they wish to do so. We also have a midwife trained to place IUDs, midwives who have done locums in Nunavik and Nunavut, and midwives who are pursuing other continuing education programs.

We strongly feel that for midwifery to be sustainable, it is important to have supportive call partners, regular time off call, support for unexpected illness, family emergencies and important personal events, and support to pursue midwifery and non-midwifery related passions and adventures.

Sault Ste. Marie is located near beautiful Lake Superior, with many beaches and camping spots nearby and countless hiking, biking, and skiing trails in the city and surrounding area. Housing is affordable and we are only a one-hour flight from Toronto, making travel during time off accessible.

Please send letter of interest and CV to midwives.algoma@onelinkconnect.com.