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We are looking to hire a General Registrant to start in the fall of 2020 to cover a mat leave starting in November 2020 with the possibility to stay on permanently as we anticipate full caseload in the coming years due to this area's population growth. This position would be located at our main site in St Thomas, Ontario. At this location, we have 7 midwives (with 1 currently on leave). Elgin County is a growing community of around 70,000 with a mixture of urban and rural clientele. There is a large mennonite population in this area and we do see some old order Amish clientele as well. We hold privileges at both London Health Sciences Center (level 3) and St Thomas Elgin General Hospital (level 2). The majority of our births take place at our level 2 hospital, where we enjoy fantastic relationships with obstetricians, paediatricians, and nurses. We are well integrated and sit on many committees in the community. We have full scope for oxytocin and midwives can order on our own authority. We do not require TOC for epidurals. At our Level 3 hospital we also have full scope but still require consultation for oxytocin. Our homebirth rate is usually about 15-20%. We do shared care with every other weekend off and flexible vacation schedules. Midwives carry caseload of 36-40 BCC depending on preference.

St Thomas is a very affordable city to live in Southern Ontario with options of living in town or rurally. Port Stanley is a short 15 min drive with beaches and housing developments. We are 20 minutes from London and therefore very accessible for shopping, entertainment and the perks of the "big city".

We are looking for a midwife with strong clinical skills, who works well in a team and will commit to maintaining our excellent hospital relations and provide evidence based, woman centered care. We look forward to hearing from you!

Please send CV to talbotcreekmidwives@rogers.com