About Our Hospital

To be a role model for northern rural health care.

Located in Ontario 160 kilometers north of North Bay in the City of Temiskaming Shores (comprised of New Liskeard, Haileybury and Dymond), this modern attractive 59-bed hospital opened in 1980, and serves a catchment area of approximately 25,000 people.

Built around three beautiful courtyards, it is a one-level, bright and spacious facility. We have upgraded our facility to provide modern and spacious accommodation for resident specialists, as well as providing clinic space for visiting specialists. In addition, an entire corridor of rooms has been redesigned to create a suite of educational rooms, including videoconferencing, a library, a computer training laboratory and a clinical laboratory.

The medical staff consists of 17 family practitioners, 1.5 FTE general surgeon, 1 internist, 2 general practitioner anesthetists, 1 visiting pathologist, 11 visiting radiologists, 13 visiting specialists and 2 midwives. These specialists conduct regular outpatient clinics and provide consultations in varied disciplines such as pediatrics, neurology, ophthalmology, obstetrics and gynecology, psychiatry, nephrology, urology, orthopedics, orthotics, and physical and rehabilitative medicine. We belong to the Telestroke program with a state of the art diagnostic imaging department that includes a 64-slice CT scanner.

The hospital is aligned with HSN’s virtual critical care program, nephrology and cardiac rehab. Northern Ontario School of Medicine (NOSM) medical staff can apply for faculty status. The affiliation with NOSM is an ideal opportunity to assist with long term recruitment needs.

We are affiliated with the Northeastern Ontario Regional Cancer Centre, and since 1993 have provided a satellite program. Those patients requiring chemotherapy are able to receive this service “at home”.

Ask us about our practice opportunities!

- Psychiatry
- Internist
- Emergency Room
- Locums
- Family Practice

Mission

Quality patient centered health care and education close to home.

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Temiskaming Hospital is proud to be a member of the Ontario Telemedicine Network, which is one of the largest, most comprehensive and advanced telemedicine networks in Canada and around the world. Thanks to the Ontario Telemedicine Network, visiting a specialist no longer necessarily means a long journey to a distant medical center for residents of Northern Ontario. Patients can "see" specialists in their home communities using live two-way videoconferencing and electronic medical devices.

About Our Community

Our bilingual community in the South Temiskaming area, with its lakes, parks and ski facilities, is viewed as a Mecca for outdoor activities organized throughout the year. The area is diverse and accommodates recreation, tourism and industry. There is something to do for residents of all ages. Truly, the area offers its own natural beauty all year round. For those with an artistic flair, you will find the area supports your interests through groups and two local art galleries.

If you are looking for a great place to live – come to Temiskaming Shores. If you are looking for a great place to work – you will find it in the same place!

Family Health Teams

Within the City of Temiskaming Shores, we have two Family Health Teams with one team under the Rural and Northern Group Physician Agreement in Haileybury. Haileybury has newly renovated accommodations with a turnkey office set-up. New Liskeard Family Health Team was established in 2011 and is currently renovating office space.

Recruitment Incentives

- In addition to the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care Program grant, we are offering a local $40,000 incentive grant (in yearly installments of $10,000) with a 4-year return of service for family practice physicians;
- HealthForceOntario Northern and Rural Recruitment Initiatives offer grants which range between $80,000 and $117,600. Grants are paid out quarterly over a period of four years. The incentive is offered by HealthForceOntario to attract physicians to Temiskaming Shores is $112,600;
- Canada Student Loan forgiveness eligibility up to $40,000;
- For specialists, the Hospital will provide an office suite in the hospital at no cost (except for a municipal tax levy for the office suite);
- Emergency Room physicians are paid $162.50 per hour.
- Applicable contracts apply depending on the service you will provide such as hospital on-call contracts for Town Call, Anesthesia, General Surgeons and Obstetrics (with the potential of earning $300,000+/year).

"After more than a decade, I continue to thoroughly enjoy practicing rural family medicine in one of the most beautiful communities in Northern Ontario. I am surrounded by an excellent group of colleagues and work in a very well-serviced hospital. My family loves living here and is thriving in this community."

-- Dr. Glenn Corneil, Temiskaming Shores Physician

"Living in the Timiskaming Region has been a very positive experience for me. I attended the recruitment tour in 1983 and started in the Physiotherapy Department at Temiskaming Hospital in January of 1984. Moving north from South Western Ontario and not knowing a single person was definitely a challenge. I am still here 25 years later, raising my family and enjoying every minute of it."

-- Janet MacDowall, Physiotherapist