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Locum Obstetrician/Gynecologist
NIAGARA HEALTH

The Department of Obstetrics/Gynecology at Niagara Health delivers 24/7, comprehensive Level 2C for Obstetrics and NICU Services providing low to high-risk care to patients within the Niagara region catchment area.

Surgical services provide a total OR surgical case volume of ~ 1500 per year of which ~1000 are day stay cases. The Program offers full scope minimally invasive laparoscopic surgery. The team provides an equal share of OR time to all members of the Department that is responsive to clinical need and OR utilization.

We seek a highly skilled and motivated physician with a passion for providing the highest quality care to join our team for locum tense coverage immediately until June 2027. This locum coverage is for an emergency medical leave and is to provide coverage for clinic and operative time. Call coverage is available if requested but does not have to be included based on locum availability.

Niagara Health is a regional healthcare provider with multiple sites and a growing network of community-based services. Our team is made up of more than 4,800 employees, 600 physicians and 850 volunteers who we count on to deliver extraordinary caring to every person, every time.

We provide a wide range of inpatient and outpatient services to more than 450,000 residents across Niagara, including Acute Care, Cancer Care, Cardiac Care, Complex Care, Emergency and Urgent Care, Kidney Care, Long-Term Care, Mental Health and Addictions, Stroke Care, Women's and Babies Care, and Surgical Care.

Our Accreditation with Exemplary Standing is a clear demonstration of our team's commitment to the highest safety and quality standards. As a community-based academic centre, teaching and learning, research, innovation and partnership are propelling us as we imagine a healthier Niagara.

The transformation of healthcare service delivery across Niagara continues with planning underway to build an additional ultramodern hospital in South Niagara to provide accessible and quality healthcare to residents of the Southern Region. Niagara Health is positioned, by virtue of its geography and regionally distributed resources, to exemplify the best of regional capacity with local service delivery. Strong academic partnerships are a priority for the NH as the organization builds on a robust relationship with McMaster University's Michael G. DeGroote School of Medicine

Current group:	• 14 FTE's
The Role:	• On Call – 12 Hr Shifts, approx. 4-5 calls/month (equal Days and Nights over the schedule) • Generalist OBGYN with MIS Training • provide hospital based inpatient clinical services • Participate in academic initiatives • Will be affiliated with McMaster University • Will be engaged in teaching, Quality Improvement and research activities of the Department, University and hospital. • Will establish a Community Practice within the Niagara Region.

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Academic Affiliations:	Since its founding in 1966, innovation has been the hallmark of McMaster University's Michael G. DeGroote School of Medicine and a major contributor to its international reputation for excellence. The medical school has expanded to a regional campus in Niagara, which is located at Brock University. Students at the Niagara Regional Campus complete their clinical rotations in one of the six area hospitals with teaching done by the highly skilled and motivated hospital physicians. Opportunities for strengthening and building strong academic partnerships are a priority for the NHS as the hospital has expanded into this new facility. We are interested in physicians who will pursue a university faculty appointment and participate in academic activities within a strong regional community hospital setting. In addition to McMaster, Niagara Health is building strong ties with other regional academic providers such as Brock University and Niagara College.
Tertiary Care:	Hamilton Health Sciences and St Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton 1 hour away
Qualifications Required:	• Independent license or eligible for independent license with the College of Physicians & Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) • FRCP(C) • Eligible to work in Canada without restrictions • Proficiency in both official languages (English and French) will be considered an asset.

Please send Letter of Interest & CV Closing Date: Friday December 4, 2026.

We are especially interested in connecting if you…

Value diversity, equity and inclusion;
Are excited about being part of a respectful and hard-working team in the beautiful Region of Niagara; Identify as a member of one or more of the following groups: equity-deserving group, Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, persons of diverse sexual orientations and gender identities and all others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

In accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 and the Ontario Human Rights Code, Niagara Health will provide accommodations through the recruitment process to applicants with disabilities. If selected to participate in the recruitment and selection process, please inform Medical Affairs of the nature of any accommodation(s) that you may require in respect of any materials or processes used to ensure your equal participation.

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