










OVERVIEW OF COMMUNITY	
Community Name	Wawa , North Algoma
Municipal Website	<a href="http://www.wawa.cc">www.wawa.cc</a>
Map with location	 <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">VIEW MAP</a></p>
COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION	
Population and demographics	Population 3000, Median Age 47 More demographic information can be found <a href="#">here</a> .
Amenities	<p><b>Amenities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vibrant business district: grocery store, 2 pharmacies, 4 gas stations, electric car charging stations, Canadian Tire, Tim Hortons, Red Apple department store, etc.</li> </ul> <p><b>Activities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local craft fairs, Lake Superior Provincial Park, Naturally Superior Adventures</li> </ul> <p><b>Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>K-12 English, French, French Immersion, Public and Catholic</li> </ul> <p><b>See below links for more details:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="http://www.roadstories.ca/wawa-ontario-is-more-than-a-geese-and-a-moose">www.roadstories.ca/wawa-ontario-is-more-than-a-geese-and-a-moose</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.ontarioparks.com/park/lakesuperior">www.ontarioparks.com/park/lakesuperior</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.naturallysuperior.com">www.naturallysuperior.com</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.eatshoplive.ca">www.eatshoplive.ca</a></li> </ul>
Travel options	<p>Wawa is located on TransCanada Hwy17, 225km north of Sault Ste. Marie and 470 km east of Thunder Bay.</p> <p><b>Air</b> The nearest airport is in Sault Ste. Marie, with rental car available for the scenic drive along Lake Superior to Wawa.</p> <p><b>Bus</b> Bus service connects Wawa to Sault Ste. Marie.</p>
Housing/Accommodation	<p>Housing is provided for locum physicians and learners. House available for new physician relocating to Wawa (Live for Free in Wawa*)</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div>

Spousal employment	Recruitment is a family enterprise, and we will actively support the relocation process through sourcing spousal employment opportunities.
<b>CLINICAL SERVICES</b>	
Catchment area and demographics	North Algoma population: 5700 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 65% age 15-64 2</li> <li>• 3% over 65</li> <li>• 20% Francophone</li> <li>• 13% Indigenous</li> </ul>
Hospital description / services	Lady Dunn Health Centre <a href="http://www.ldhc.com">www.ldhc.com</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 acute care, 2 respite, 16 LTC beds, 24 hour ED with NP, RN and on-call physician</li> <li>• Surgical program, stress testing, continuing education LEG/Sims, diagnostic and therapeutic services, telehealth, nurse practitioner program, counselling, diabetes education, outreach clinics</li> <li>• Well-equipped ED with VCC, CMAC, glidescope, point of care ultrasound</li> </ul>
Primary Care model / clinic setup / allied health support	Wawa Family Health Team: <a href="http://www.wawafamilyhealthteam.com">www.wawafamilyhealthteam.com</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physicians are co-located with an amazing team of allied health care providers who work in a Family Health Team Model.</li> <li>• Collaborative model of care with our FHT colleagues, which include RNs, NPs, dietitian, geriatric nurse, social worker.</li> <li>• Allied Health Care team supports: Smoking Cessation Program, Cardiac Rehab, DOAC teaching, PN Care, Diabetes care, Medical Abortions, Memory Clinics, End of Life Care Planning</li> <li>• Clinic is conveniently located in the hospital. Referral centre is Sault Ste. Marie.</li> </ul>
Other clinical venues and services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LTC is co-located in the hospital</li> <li>• Homecare partners office onsite.</li> <li>• One bed palliative care suite in hospital</li> <li>• Other clinical services provided by local physicians include: endoscopy (gastroscopy and colonoscopy), memory clinic, medical abortions, exercise stress testing</li> </ul>
<b>SUPPORTS AND EXPECTATIONS FOR LOCUMS OR LEARNERS COMING TO THE COMMUNITY</b>	
Teaching	All physicians are Assistant or Associate Professors with NOSM University and host UG and PG learners from NOSM University or other universities throughout the year.
Living: housing and accommodations	House available for new full time physician. House, hospital apartments, offsite apartments, B&B, available for locums and learners.
Transportation	Most will use personal vehicle, or rental from Sault airport if flying in.
Food options	Stores: John's Your Independent Grocer, The Red Apple Department Store Many restaurant options both fast-food and fine dining and everything in between. Featuring International, Caribbean, Chinese, South-East Asian, Indian and European cuisine. See more here: <a href="http://www.eatshoplive.ca">www.eatshoplive.ca</a>
Collegial supports	Very collegial group. Provide support in ER for new graduates.
Community video	View the video <a href="#">here</a> .

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**Pictures**

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