

OVERVIEW OF COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY NAME Elliot Lake

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MUNICIPAL WEBSITE www.elliottlake.ca

MAP WITH LOCATION



COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION

POPULATION AND DEMOGRAPHICS

Elliot Lake, ON has a population of 10,741 people. The largest population of Elliot Lake, ON is the age group between 65 and 69 years old, 51.74% of the population are in the working age group between 15 to 64 years old, while 20.05% make up the younger population, which will be a part of labour force in less than 2 decades.

More demographic information can be found [here](#).

AMENITIES

The community is serviced by Canada's five major banks and a credit union. There are accounting firms, insurance agencies, law firms and a legal aid office serving the community.

There are hundreds of businesses including national chain stores such as Canadian Tire, Shopper's Drug Mart, Rexall Drugs, Rona, FoodLand, No Frills, Hart Store and The Source to name a few.

Elliot Lake has three major automobile dealerships, Algoma Chrysler, North Shore Ford and Milltown Motors (featuring GM and Chevrolet products). Local businesses offer furniture, pet supplies, a delicatessen, flower and gift shops, clothing stores, hardware and many others.

There are approximately seventy businesses offering personal service that include such things as hair styling, spa services, upholstery, auto repairs, appliance maintenance.

There are some small manufacturing businesses as well as a number of contractors offering a variety of carpentry, electrical, masonry, decorating, plumbing and general construction services.

For your pet's medical needs, the city has veterinary clinics and businesses that provide boarding and grooming for pets.

TRAVEL OPTIONS

You can find the City of Elliot Lake in Algoma District within Northern Ontario, and in between the cities of Sault Ste. Marie and Sudbury. Elliot Lake sits just north of Lake Huron, with easy access by going north on Ontario Highway 108, just 25 km off the Trans-Canada Highway.

HOUSING/ACCOMMODATION

In its survey of the best communities in Canada in 2021, Maclean's magazine ranks Elliot Lake at 137 out of 415 in its listing of places to live in Canada. But if you look at affordability alone, Elliot Lake is number one in the entire nation.

Realtor link: <https://www.realtor.ca/on/elliott-lake/real-estate>

Elliot Lake provides a variety of fully furnished 2- and 3-bedroom apartments for locum/learning housing. Conveniently located 1.5 km from St. Joseph's General Hospital and 2.5 km from The Elliot Lake Family Health Team

SPOUSAL EMPLOYMENT

Please visit: <https://www.elliottlake.ca/en/city-hall/economic-development-and-diversification-strategy.aspx>

Employment Options Elliot Lake:

<https://employmentoptions.ca>

<https://www.facebook.com/EOEElliotLake>

CLINICAL SERVICES

CATCHMENT AREA AND DEMOGRAPHICS

The catchment area population (town plus surrounding areas) of the hospital is approximately 18,000 people, at the present time the proportion of seniors in Elliot Lake doubles the Canadian average.

HOSPITAL DESCRIPTION / SERVICES

St. Joseph's General Hospital

St. Joseph's General Hospital is a multi service organization that operates an Acute Care Hospital, Long Term Care and Drug & Alcohol Treatment Centre.

St. Joseph's General Hospital offers several inpatient services:

- Medicine
- Intensive Care
- Obstetrics
- Paediatrics
- Surgery
- Discharge Planning (available to all inpatients to assist patients in their transition towards optimal health status)
- Pastoral / Spiritual Care (available to all inpatients to assist patients in their transition towards optimal health status)
- Social Work (available to all inpatients to assist patients in their transition towards optimal health status)
- Palliative Care Volunteers (available to all inpatients to assist patients in their transition towards optimal health status)

St. Joseph's General Hospital offers many outpatients clinic and services.

- Bone Density
- Cardiology
- Chemotherapy
- Clinical Nutrition
- Diabetes Education
- Ears, Nose, and Throat
- Electrocardiogram
- Emergency Care
- Endoscopy
- Gastroenterology
- Gerontology
- Mental health
- Nephrology
- Occupational Therapy
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopedics
- Paediatrics
- Pastoral / Spiritual Care
- Physiotherapy
- Radiology (X-Rays)
- Renal Dialysis (A Satellite of Sudbury Regional Hospital)

- Speech Therapy
- Social Work
- Surgical Day Care
- Urology
- Ultrasound

St. Joseph's General Hospital is fortunate to have many visiting specialists from across the province providing service in Elliot Lake.

PRIMARY CARE MODEL / CLINIC SETUP / ALLIED HEALTH SUPPORT

The Elliot Lake Family Health Team

The Family Health Team is composed of physicians, nurse practitioners, allied health professionals, and support staff providing quality patient centred care for Elliot Lake and surrounding area.

Our team offers a large variety of primary care services, as well as chronic disease management programs. We are dedicated to providing quality health care and are always striving to deliver the best care for our patients

The Elliot Lake Family Health team is set up as a turnkey practice and operates as a FIT and FOH Healthcare structure.

OTHER CLINICAL VENUES AND SERVICES

St. Joseph's Manor

St. Joseph's Manor's strives to provide a home like environment for individuals whose daily care requirements are too extensive to be met in other care environments. We support residents to be as active and engaged in our community to the best of their abilities. There are two floors, home to 32 residents each. We have two veteran priority beds.

Hillside Park Retirement Residence

Hillside Park Retirement Residence is an assisted-living environment. Situated on ten acres in the heart of Elliot Lake, Hillside Park provides today's seniors a healthy lifestyle choice. Hillside Park provides recreational facilities, planned activities of daily living, care assistance, and much more.

Huron Lodge

Huron Lodge is a small, residential facility that provides a relaxed, friendly atmosphere to older adults. The facility determines the level of care required and eligibility.

The Oaks Acute Care Department

The Oaks is an acute care accredited hospital, treating the whole person, operated by St. Joseph's General Hospital Elliot Lake. It is comprised of two departments: Withdrawal Management Services and Camillus Treatment Programs. Oaks Department services are supported and partially funded

by The Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care via the Local North East Health Integration Network. Medical Director, Dr Stanley Shapiro MD CCFP specializes in the treatment of substance use disorders.

Oaks department Services offer an eclectic treatment model, tailored to individual patient needs. There is a medical director on site, who has been practicing medicine since 1981 and is an expert in the field of addiction treatment and recovery.

Counselling Centre of East Algoma

The Counselling Centre of East Algoma (CCEA) has offered confidential counselling services to individuals, couples, families, and groups throughout the East Algoma catchment area.

Community Mental Health & Addictions Program – HSN East Algoma Site (Elliot Lake)

A community-based program providing free and confidential mental health and addictions services in Elliot Lake and surrounding areas. These services are for individuals, family members and service providers who are looking for support and information for adults with mental health concerns.

SUPPORTS AND EXPECTATIONS FOR LOCUMS OR LEARNERS COMING TO THE COMMUNITY

TEACHING

There are several learning opportunities available in Elliot Lake at The Elliot Lake Family Health Team and St. Joseph's Hospital.

LIVING: HOUSING AND ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations are provided for locums and learning students. We have 2- and 3- bedroom units that are fully furnished with kitchen, linens and internet.

TRANSPORTATION

Locums/Learners would need a car for arrival to Elliot Lake but once here Elliot Lake does offer public transportation.

Housing units are conveniently located 1.5 kms from St Joseph's General Hospital and 2.5 kms from The Elliot Lake Family Health Team.

FOOD OPTIONS

Elliot Lake has 2 groceries stores, Foodland and No Frills. Elliot Lake has a variety of restaurants to suit your preference. From well-known chains such as Tim Horton's Subway, McDonald's, Swiss Chalet and Pizza Hut to several local gems that are a must try when in Elliot Lake.

For additional details visit:

<https://www.elliottlake.ca/en/recreation-and-culture/dining-and-food.aspx>

COLLEGIAL SUPPORTS

There are 8 Family Physicians at The Elliot Lake Family Health Team that offer support, mentorship and back up to colleagues.

COMMUNITY VIDEO

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EJ2fyd20WBw>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WWxkNfRKAY4&feature=youtu.be>

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PICTURES OF CLINIC, HOSPITAL, HOUSING



- St. Joseph's General Hospital