

The Division of Ophthalmology, in conjunction with the Department of Surgery for the Newfoundland Health Authority, is seeking 2 ophthalmologists to join our team in beautiful St. John's, NL.

One day per week of local anesthetic operating time at Health Sciences Centre is allocated per ophthalmologist, with more time available in publicly funded private operating rooms for cataract surgeries. One half day per week is allocated in the HSC Eye Clinic for minor procedures, lasers, and injections. Call is shared equally amongst all division members. While sub-specialty expertise in cornea or glaucoma would be an asset, any comprehensive ophthalmologist or other sub-specialty is welcome. Affiliation with Memorial University of Newfoundland medical school is available. Establishing an outpatient private office is required, though some local clinics may have space to share if desired.



St. John's is the capital of Newfoundland and Labrador. We are home to over 300,000 people in the Greater St. John's area, and have all of the amenities of a big city with a more local feel. House prices range from affordable \$300,000 family homes to \$1+ million for larger estate homes. Come live in a bustling downtown full of Atlantic Canadian nightlife around our famous George Street, or have a quiet sea-side estate, all within minutes of the hospital and clinics. St. John's is home to Atlantic Canada's 2<sup>nd</sup> largest university with many professional degree pathways, along with numerous other colleges. Well-respected public and private schools are available for families throughout the metro area. Recreational opportunities are second to none, with numerous facilities

locally, as well as our great outdoor ocean playground. Kayak amongst the sea waves while watching whales breach or hike the coastal trails; the Grouse Grind in Vancouver or the Bruce Trail in southern Ontario cannot compete with our local East Coast Trail, a network of over 336 kms of ocean-view trails, all within 5-20 minutes of the downtown core. Whether it be local artists in local pubs or our nationally recognized Art Gallery and Museum, with programming for adults and children, we have a thriving arts and cultural scene as well. Vibrant restaurants are also available for the foodies, including our world-famous Mallard Cottage.

Job opportunities are plentiful in many sectors from information technology, manufacturing, and geology, among many others. An international airport is also located within 10 minutes drive from downtown or the hospital.

Moving allowance is provided by the health region, and bursaries may be available.

Whether you have local family ties or “Come From Away”, you will be welcome and find a home here!

For more information, please contact Dr. Danica Kindrachuk, Division Head Ophthalmology through our physician recruiters:  
[physician.recruitment@easternhealth.ca](mailto:physician.recruitment@easternhealth.ca) or call 1-709-777-1363.

Positions will remain open until filled.

Requirements:

- FRCSC certification in ophthalmology, or FRCSC eligibility.
- MD degree from a recognized university.
- Eligible for full independent licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Newfoundland and Labrador.













