

Centretown Community Health Centre

Location: 420 Cooper Street, Ottawa, ON K2P 2N6

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Primary Preceptor: Drs. Lara Kent & Laura Sellers

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The Centretown Community Health Centre (CCHC) is a multidisciplinary team located in downtown Ottawa. This team works on a salaried basis to meet the needs of the individual and the community. The varied patient population includes those who work and live in the neighbourhood, those who live in supportive housing and the homeless. The special interest services include a homeless team, an outreach team for vulnerable seniors and a newcomer's clinic for refugees and immigrants. They also provide obstetrics.

Primary care remains at the centre of the CCHC provided by physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, social workers, a chiropodist and a nutritionist. Other available programs include diabetes education, early years and services for seniors with addictions. The teaching and supervision of the resident is shared between three primary preceptors with support from the whole team. The best match for the CCHC is a resident who is interested in innercity medicine, obstetrics, working within a multidisciplinary team and has a lot of initiative to make the most of their experience. French would be a definite asset. Preceptor special Interests: Acute care, mental health, addiction, innercity, emergency medicine, international health, new Canadians, home visits with frail elderly.

Type of trainees in-clinic: Residents, medical students, nurse practitioner students, nursing students, midwifery students.

Number of Physicians: 7

Number of exam rooms: 18

Affiliated Unit and Hospital: Bruyère, Ottawa General Hospital

