The Midwives of Chatham Kent are currently recruiting

We are currently in the process of recruiting one full time, and one part time midwife to join our team, starting no later than December 2012. If you are a compassionate and self-motivated midwife who is invested in delivering excellent midwifery services as part of an amazing team of providers, we’d love to invite you down to meet us!

The Midwives of Chatham-Kent is a busy thriving midwifery practice, with extended scope, that has the honor of providing services to the residents of Southwestern Ontario’s beautiful and vibrant Chatham-Kent. The catchment area includes grass roots agricultural, quaint towns, water front communities, and urban centres. Although the practice is newly established (Nov. 2011) the five practicing midwives have been providing full midwifery services and family support for over 10 years using a shared-care philosophy. All practicing midwives have full privileges at the Chatham Kent Health Alliance in addition to offering a home birth option to clients. Our practice has a solid working relationship with local hospital staff, family physicians, OB’s and Paediatricians.

Our share-care philosophy allows us to work as a cohesive team, develop strong relationships with clients and their families, and enhance the total birthing experience. It also allows our midwives to have a healthy home/work balance and a strong professional support network. We offer full time administrative support, free on-site clinic parking and regular weekends off call.

Candidates need to be:

- licenced to drive in Ontario and have their own vehicle
- registered with or eligible for registration with the College of Midwives of Ontario, and the Association of Ontario Midwives.
- strong communicators with established skills working in a team based environment
- experienced in providing care for a diverse population of families
- highly responsible, independent and able to be on call

Remuneration and holidays will be discussed with selected candidates.

Students in their final year are welcome to apply.

Send your CV by email, snail mail or fax to the attention of Isabelle Milot and Alison Lally
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Living in Chatham

Chatham hosts a world class theatre, state of the art family recreation facilities, and challenging golf courses. Nestled between Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie, there are endless opportunities to enjoy a diverse assortment of water sports like swimming, kayaking, scuba-diving, kite sailing and sailing. The lakes also provide year round access to fresh water fishing whether it be from shore or off a boat. Numerous provincial parks are with-in an hour’s drive, including the beautiful and pristine Rondeau Park, known as one of Canada’s largest Carolinian forests, and home to rare and endangered birds and animals. Chatham-Kent’s rich agricultural and automotive ties provide experiences like nowhere else. Classic car attractions give visitors rare opportunity to view luxury and exclusivity. Chatham-Kent celebrates four seasons of culture with galleries, theatre and family-themed attractions located in its many quaint towns, urban centres, rural and waterfront communities. From its fascinating historic treasures to its natural wonders and man-made creations, Chatham-Kent is a great place to live, and a wonderful place to raise a family. Chatham Kent boasts some of the most affordable housing in Ontario. Buying a house, renting an apartment and paying property taxes cost you less here and are far below the prices in larger urban cities. Our location in the middle of Southwestern Ontario also means that everyday needs such as clothing, food and other basics are cheap and plentiful. In addition to the excellent provincial public and separate educational systems that offer schooling in English, French and French Immersion, there are two private elementary and secondary schools in Chatham. The Chatham campus of St. Clair College and the University of Guelph – Ridgetown Campus make adult and continuing education easy to access.