



## Nursing Employment and Clinical Nursing Placement Opportunities

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St. Francis Memorial Hospital is a 20 bed, fully accredited facility, offering, medical, and complex continuing care. Special in-patient services include palliative care, diabetes clinic, telemedicine and Cardiac Rehabilitation. A two bed Hospice is directly down the hall from our inpatient unit as well and we work very closely with them. The hospital has an extensive ambulatory care program with over 10,000 emergency visits per year. A 6- station satellite hemodialysis unit is located at the St. Francis Memorial Hospital in Barry's Bay. We offer a unique Emergency Nursing Mentorship Program to support nurses transitioning to this specialty area.

SFMH offer comprehensive in-patient, out-patient and clinics in addition to regional programs such as Addiction Treatment, Diabetes Education, Hemodialysis & Nephrology and Ontario Breast Screening. There is full diagnostic support within the hospital including staff radiologists providing radiological, ultrasound, bone density, CT and mammography support.

The hospital is located in the village of Barry's Bay and serves a catchment of approximately 10,000 population dispersed over a large geographic area. The nearest secondary hospital facilities are in Pembroke and Renfrew which are 85 and 95 kilometers respectively. Tertiary services are available in Ottawa, which is 200 kilometers east, and Peterborough, which is 175 kilometers south of Barry's Bay. This distance and the low resident population has earned St. Francis Memorial Hospital the designation of both rural and isolated by the Rural and Northern Health Care Framework benchmark and parameter working group. It is currently the only independent Hospital in Southern Ontario with this designation.

St. Francis Memorial Hospital offers an education fund that supports staff for up to \$500 dollars a year.

On June 1st, 2019, SFMH implemented a new state of the art electronic health information system in collaboration with five regional partners including The Ottawa Hospital, Hawkesbury and District General Hospital, Renfrew Victoria Hospital and the University of Ottawa Heart Institute, as well as the Ottawa Hospital Academic Family Health Team. As part of the health information system, each health partner has real-time access to patient medical information allowing health-care providers to make timely, informed decisions based on the most comprehensive, and connected information.

SFMH shares Senior Leadership/Administrative roles with Renfrew Victoria Hospital (RVH). RVH has been designated as Best Practice Spotlight Organization (BPSO) by RNAO. Through St. Francis Memorial Hospital's collaborations and integration efforts, it remains on the leading edge of practice. Together we have implemented many Best Practice Initiatives. We welcome new graduates to our hospital and provide a comprehensive orientation. We also participate in the Late Career Nursing Initiative. We offer internal training and opportunities for RNs to move from medical/surgical units to specialty areas such as Emergency, Telemedicine and Cardiac Rehabilitation.

Our Mission is to provide high-quality, patient-centred healthcare in collaboration with our partners.

Join our Innovative Nursing Team Today!

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