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Dear Prospective Physician,

As a practicing primary care physician, I can relate to being inundated with the changes our health care system has undergone the past few years. Electronic health records, malpractice, pay for performance incentives and complex insurance negotiations are known culprits in removing the joy of being a physician. Fortunately, I have found an organization where medicine is still practiced the way we have always envisioned it— places where you can practice medicine the way it was meant to be. I would like to share with you a place just like I described and how it has changed my professional life.

Family Health Care is a non-profit organization composed of Federally Qualified Health Centers in West, Central, and Northern Michigan. We serve all members of the community including those who are un/under insured by providing basic primary care outpatient services. As a health center, we are fortunate to have colleagues of dentistry, pharmacy and behavioral health work next to us in providing a full complement of health care services to our patients. Before becoming medical director at Family Health Care, I spent several years in both private practice and a hospital owned practice. I understand first-hand the administrative headaches and lack of control physicians experience in those settings. Physicians, like you and I, are longing for the old days where providers were focused on the patient and not the administrative tasks.

I am pleased to say that Family Health Care understands this and works closely with each physician to ensure that patient care is the provider's first priority and that administrative issues are left to administration. At Family Health Care physicians have flexibility in their schedules and are relieved of the administrative duties. In addition to Medical Doctors, Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners are used to enhance the medical services and allow for improved response to patient needs and foster a team atmosphere. Having a strong sense of community and improvement, Family Health Care allows physicians to teach or undertake a collaborative research project in public health while seeing patients. In addition Family Health Care has responded to the electronic health record system by instituting a scribe system to help increase physicians time with the patient and allowing for more meaningful consultations.

The satisfaction derived from knowing you are helping someone improve their health in a significant way is very rewarding within itself., Family Health Care is very competitive in complimenting these satisfactions with a benefit and salary package specifically designed for physicians. Family Health Care stands behind physicians by providing Federal malpractice tort, raising the level of security above standard malpractice coverage. Located in a health provider shortage area, providers are eligible for state or federal student loan forgiveness or repayment.

Attached are some highlights of Family Health Care and what we have to offer. I would love to talk to you more and give you a tour of our facilities. Please email me your availability for a conversation at [jpouliot@familyhealthcare.org](mailto:jpouliot@familyhealthcare.org), or leave me a message on my cell phone at (269) 275-1548.

Best Regards,

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# Family Health Care

## Our Mission

"To provide quality, integrated and comprehensive health care services that are accessible to all."

## About Us

Family Health Care, a non profit, was one of the first community health centers in the nation to develop a "one-stop shopping" concept for health care services. We've been in the business of taking care of families since 1967. We offer our services at health centers and outreach sites in Lake, Newaygo, Wexford and Missaukee counties.

## Our Services

Family Health Care offers comprehensive primary care services that includes family practice, internal medicine, women's health, pediatrics, and geriatrics. Medical care is fully integrated with on-site dental care, laboratory, x-ray, in-house pharmacy, behavioral health therapy, and health educators, as well as school-based health centers in three local schools.

## We offer great benefits



Competitive Salary with Malpractice Insurance, no investment/buy in to the practice, and no overhead expenses



### Loan Forgiveness

FHC participates in state and federal loan repayment programs. We would be happy to talk with you more about these programs and how they can help you.



401K Retirement and 401K match, Paid Holidays, Paid Time Off, Professional Courtesy



Conference and Continuing Education Stipend Benefits



### Flexible Schedule

We'll work with you on creating a schedule that works for you, while keeping the needs of our community in mind. Being with your family is just as important as being with our family.



Excellent Blue Cross Blue Shield Health Coverage, Dental, Vision, Life, Long/Short Term Disability, additional Life Insurance options, and Flexible Spending Accounts

## Seasoned Just Right

Searching for an area that is family and activity friendly?

We are close to:

Hundreds of inland lakes

Lake Michigan beaches

Sand Dunes - Silver Lake and Sleeping Bear

Fly Fishing and internationally known trout streams

Calm waters for kayaking, canoeing and tubing

Limitless hiking, bike trails

ATV/ORV riding trails with convenient trailhead parking

Championship golf courses

Deer, bear, and small game hunting

300 miles of groomed snowmobile trails

Downhill and cross country skiing and snowshoeing

Enjoy music, art, and entertainment? Our area offers Art Prize, concerts, Interlochen Center for the Arts and Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp, ice sculpting, wood carvers, local festivals and competitions, Blessing of the Bikes and much more!

Ever toured a wine vineyard or tasted one of Michigan's craft beers? You are in luck! Our area has more than 20 vineyards and breweries within a short drive.

Shopping you say? We have plenty to choose from with quaint local shops, fresh produce markets, and a local hometown feel.



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