Nova Scotia

WHY SHOULD I WORK IN NOVA SCOTIA?
Nova Scotia offers physicians and their families a life where work/life balance really can be achieved. In this part of the country, you’ll find combinations such as cities and towns, beaches and seacoasts, history and culture, great food and wine and outdoor adventure. Whether you’re looking for rural or urban living, you can build the life you want in Nova Scotia.

Doctors Nova Scotia is committed to working with all partners in health-care delivery to ensure the province is positioned to recruit and retain talented and skilled doctors, introduce new and innovative ways to deliver health care and to continuously look for ways to improve patient care and access.

NEGOTIATES PHYSICIAN REMUNERATION
Doctors Nova Scotia is the sole bargaining agent for Nova Scotia physicians. It negotiates all funding contracts with the province on physicians’ behalf.

OFFERS A COMPREHENSIVE PACKAGE OF BENEFITS
Doctors Nova Scotia offers members a comprehensive health and dental plan, life and disability insurance, parental leave, and Physician Liability Premium rebates (i.e. CMPA).

SUPPORTS PHYSICIANS THROUGHOUT THEIR CAREERS
Exclusive to Doctors Nova Scotia:
- Electronic Medical Record Advisors: supports physicians in both adopting and using an EMR.
- Professional Support Program offers confidential help to physicians and their families who are experiencing problems — whether they are personal or professional, financial or psychological, psychiatric or addictive.
- Business of Medicine: online seminars and courses designed to assist physicians with the business side of running a practice, including setting up a new practice. Billing seminars to ensure accurate and reliable billing practices.
- Physician Navigator Program offers guidance and moral support on what to expect throughout an investigation by the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Nova Scotia.

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OTHER USEFUL URLS
Nova Scotia Department of Health and Wellness recruitment incentives: physicians.novascotia.ca/incentives.html
Provincial Locum Program: physicians.novascotia.ca/locumservices.html
College of Physicians and Surgeons of Nova Scotia: cpsns.ns.ca

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