



## Internal Medicine

### Upper River Valley

#### START DATE

Flexible - Interested candidates can arrange a site visit and/or a locum placement to trial the position, with transportation and accommodation expenses covered.

#### UPPER RIVER VALLEY

Nestled in the picturesque Upper River Valley region of New Brunswick, this welcoming community offers an idyllic setting along the serene riverbanks. Boasting affordable housing, the area provides a comfortable lifestyle. Within a short 15-minute commute to the hospital, residents enjoy safe neighborhoods and access to quality schools.

Outdoor enthusiasts will find themselves in paradise with abundant recreational opportunities, including boating, golfing, and renowned fishing spots. Well-maintained trails cater to hiking, biking, ATVing, and snowmobiling enthusiasts, while a vibrant calendar of festivals and community programs ensures there's always something to engage in.

For further details, explore <https://tourismnewbrunswick.ca/upper-saint-john-river-valley>.

#### THE WORKPLACE

**Internal Medicine services at Upper River Valley Hospital (URVH)** are a cornerstone of healthcare delivery for the Upper River Valley region of New Brunswick. Located in **Waterville**, URVH serves as a regional referral center for communities across western New Brunswick, offering a broad range of inpatient, outpatient, and emergency care. The hospital has 5 acute care beds, as well as specialized units including critical care, surgical, obstetrics, oncology, and rehabilitation services, supporting comprehensive patient care across the continuum.

The Internal Medicine department at URVH provides comprehensive management of acute and chronic conditions, including cardiovascular disease, diabetes, respiratory disorders, and multi-system illnesses. The department works closely with clinical programs in emergency medicine, surgery, obstetrics, oncology, critical care, and allied specialties, ensuring coordinated care for complex cases.

Internal Medicine at URVH is supported by a dedicated team of skilled physicians, nurses, allied health professionals, and administrative staff, all committed to high-quality patient care. The department



maintains strong collaboration with referring physicians and multidisciplinary teams, fostering timely, patient-centered care for the region's diverse population.

Physicians in Internal Medicine benefit from office space conveniently located within the hospital, allowing seamless integration with inpatient and outpatient services, easy access to colleagues across specialties, and direct involvement in patient care from clinic to bedside.

## THE POSITION

Horizon Health Network is seeking **permanent full-time or part-time Internal Medicine Physicians** to join the Internal Medicine team at Upper River Valley Hospital.

The successful candidate will participate in a dynamic internal medicine practice, managing both acute and chronic conditions in inpatient, outpatient, and emergency settings. Opportunities may exist for involvement in subspecialties such as cardiology, nephrology, geriatrics, or endocrinology, depending on the physician's training and interests.

The role offers flexibility in scheduling, allowing physicians to plan vacations and tailor their practice to their professional and personal needs. Locum opportunities may also be available.

The URVH Internal Medicine team is known for its supportive culture, collaborative approach, and strong commitment to high-quality patient care.

## THE OFFER

Remuneration is based on a competitive fee-for-service model. Additional financial and professional benefits available through Horizon Health Network, the Government of New Brunswick, and the New Brunswick Medical Society may include:

- Recruitment incentive of \$100,000 with a 4-year return of service
- Relocation assistance
- CME funding for professional development, including travel and accommodation
- Participation in provincial retention and incentive programs

## YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide high-quality care for patients with a broad range of internal medicine conditions across inpatient, outpatient, and emergency settings
- Collaborate closely with referring physicians and multidisciplinary healthcare teams to ensure coordinated and effective care



- Participate in departmental quality improvement initiatives and service development
- Contribute to teaching and mentorship of medical learners, where applicable
- Support the ongoing development and growth of Internal Medicine services at URVH

## **YOUR QUALIFICATIONS**

- Medical degree from a recognized institution
- Certification in Internal Medicine with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (FRCPC) or equivalent.
- Eligibility for licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick
- Strong communication skills and a collaborative approach to practice
- Proficiency in English; bilingual skills are considered an asset