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Victoria Family Medical Centre

For Dr. Jo-Anne Hammond nothing compares to the full life-circle of broad-based family practice, as she currently takes care of patients from in utero to 95 years of age. Dr. Hammond has a strong interest in family practice obstetrics and is the medical advisor for the Exercise in Pregnancy Lab at Western University. Her research interests include exercise and pregnancy and probiotics.

Married with two adult children and a lovely Wheaten terrier, Dr. Hammond spends her free time golfing, swimming and dancing Zumba!

At the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, you're more than just another resident. We specialize in training comprehensive family physicians and future leaders in family medicine. We do this through a highly adaptable program that includes tailor-made curriculum and educational programs for residents.

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A TYPICAL WEEK IN LONDON

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
08:00 09:00	Visit patients in hospital					
09:00 12:00	Patient Care	Patient Care	Resident Teaching	Patient Care	Patient Care (Case conference from 9-10)	On Call including after hours (10-1)
12:30 13:30	Lunch and Resident Meetings					
13:00 17:00	Patient Care	Patient Care	Academic Half Day	Patient Care	Patient Care	

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Demographics

- Centre established in 1970
- Affiliated with London Health Sciences Centre (LHSC)
- Patient population of 5,000

Research Activities

- Clinical trials
- Practice-based research
- Exercise and Pregnancy

Practice Experience

- Patient population is culturally and ethnically diverse
- Hospitalized patients are cared for at LHSC – Victoria Hospital (including Obstetrics) and at St. Joseph's Health Care London's Parkwood Hospital
- Present building was opened in 1992 and was purpose-built for training of residents
- Social worker, psychiatrist, psychiatric nurse, and public health nurse on-site

Teaching

- Eight residents per teaching block
- Four clinical teaching teams
- Each team includes a first- and second-year resident, staff physician, and nurse
- Staff expertise includes palliative care, low-risk obstetrics, forensic medicine, domestic violence, and primary care procedures
- Chief resident organizes on-call schedule, speaker program, etc.
- In-centre educational program for residents includes interactive group seminars on critical appraisal and problem-based modules; case presentations; didactic session addressing clinical and organizational issues; problem-based learning and professionalism

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