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KEYNOTE LECTURE

Louise Logan MD CCFP(EM) Associate Professor, NOSM University

"Make Your Path"



Dr. Logan is originally from Sudbury, Ontario. She is a proud francophone, married with 3 children. She is a graduate of Laurentian University where she completed a 4-year Bachelor of Science (Biology) degree. She then attended the Université de Montréal where she completed her Medical Doctorate degree. She returned to Ontario to pursue her residency training. She completed a 2-year family medicine residency and a one-year special competency in Emergency Medicine (CCFP-EM) at the University of Ottawa's rural stream, the Northeastern Ontario Family Medicine program based in Sudbury.

Dr. Logan has been in practice since 2000. Her main practice has been at the Sudbury Regional Hospital, now Health Sciences North. She has also practiced Emergency Medicine at the West Nippissing General

Hospital intermittently since graduation. She spent some time in the community of Sturgeon Falls as a resident and has kept some ties with the medical community there ever since. She has increased her time there in the past year and plans to continue this, helping the community cope with a physician workforce shortage.

She holds the rank of Associate Professor at NOSM University. She has had considerable involvement in academics and teaches learners of all level of training. She has been the Emergency Medicine Clerkship lead of NOSM's East Campus for a number of years. In this capacity she organizes, orients, evaluates and is a resource to all East Campus 4th year students who complete their core Emergency Medicine rotation. She also teaches a variety of sessions for undergraduate and postgraduate (resident) learners including Simulation and procedural skills sessions. Clinically, she has supported learners of all levels on shift in the Emergency Department.

She has held such roles as Francophone Coordinator for the Northeastern Ontario Family Medicine Program and witnessed the establishment of the Northern Ontario School of Medicine. Within NOSM she has been a member of the founding Admissions, Francophone Advisory and student affairs committees. She has been a member of the NOSM Board of Directors and Academic Council.

"I am honoured to share my experiences about my training and my work. I am happy to speak to students about some of the opportunities in health care. I have children who are currently navigating these important life decisions. Getting informed is key and we hope that this year's Discovery Day will help clarify what your career path might be."