

PHYSICIAN INCENTIVE PROGRAM

1. Physicians being recruited to the area will be required to sign a five (5) year agreement. Their families will be encouraged to come to the area at the same time as the doctor. If a five (5) year agreement is not acceptable, a shorter term agreement may be entered into at the discretion of the Committee.
2. The agreement will provide that any physician recruited will provide at least six (6) month's written notice prior to leaving to both the Municipality and to the doctor's patients.
3. The financial assistance for moving to the area in the amount of \$2,500 will continue to be provided, and the first month's free rent for a residence and an office in the Community Health Centre will also continue to be provided.
4. The Committee, along with the District Health Authority will continue to pursue locums at no cost to the Municipality.
5. The Municipality will further determine whether a nurse practitioner can be hired and will attempt to make this possible and to attract a nurse practitioner to the area.
6. An incentive will be offered to all graduating medical students, fully licensed physicians and physicians under sponsorship interested in coming to the Municipality of Barrington in the form of:
 - a) A financial incentive of \$10,000 per year in return for an annual commitment to practice within the Municipality payable after each year of service.

or

Free annual rent at the Community Health Centre in exchange for a commitment to practice in the Municipality.

Either of the above incentives will be offered at the choice of the physician for a term of five (5) years.