

# Smithers



## THE TOWN

Smithers is located in Northwest BC approximately halfway between Prince George and Prince Rupert. Smithers is a town of 5000 people with a catchment of 18000.

The Bulkley Valley is the traditional territory of the Witsuwit'en, who have lived here for countless generations. Their rich culture is seen and heard throughout the valley, the land that they have known and loved longer than memory can recount.

Smithers has plenty to offer anybody seeking outdoor adventure, arts or special interest groups. Smithers hosts an annual musical festival. The Smithers community is very welcoming and there are many things to do for a rural community.

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Residents will become part of clinic and hospital team, working alongside each clinician, being responsible for patients at a level commensurate with the resident's experience. The team will work to foster graduated independence and the skills needed to successfully move into rural practice at the end of residency.

Smithers offers a broad range of clinical services: family practice, obstetrics, ER, OR (multiple visiting specialists), palliative care and home visits.

There are multiple family practice offices each offering different experiences in the field of family practice such as ER work, maternity-prenatal, intrapartum and operative, GP surgery, GP anaesthesia, GP oncology, OAT clinic, MSK u/s consults, and quality improvement.