



Please join us in congratulating and welcoming **Dr. Yang Sheng**

to the SLRPSI Family!

Practice: Northern Practice

Scope: OB, Northern Clinic, ER, Hospitalist,
Northern Community

Contract: Part-Time Away

Years in Practice: 2years

Residency: McGill

Home Base: Montreal, QC



My name is Yang Sheng and I'm a family doctor working in Sioux Lookout. I chose family medicine in large part because underserved and remote communities need the full-spectrum skills that only a generalist can provide. As a resident, I chose to do my obstetric rotation in Sioux Lookout because its fantastic GP / OB team works in a crucial rural hub of northern Ontario, one that strives to respect their residents' wish to stay as close to their home as possible for their care.

Once here, I was immediately struck by how warm and helpful my mentors were (and still are)! Their dedication to the people and the region has motivated me to return as a locum physician several times before signing a contract in fall 2023.

I do clinic, obstetric, hospitalist, ER, and northern community work. I'm always learning something new, whether it's how to treat different fractures or what animals the residents of Keewaywin hunt in spring! Like many others, I'm grateful that everyone here has been so friendly and welcoming, from inviting me over to dinners to picking me up at the airport when I had flight

issues. As a locum doctor, I've worked in two provinces and the three territories, and I've decided to return to Sioux Lookout again and again because I've always felt supported and respected.

I've been moving all over the place since I was born. I was born in Hamilton and raised in Montreal before moving to the States. I taught in China for a year, did medical school in the States, and then returned to Montreal to do my family medicine residency at McGill. I did a third year in global health at the University of Ottawa, and I did locum work after graduating in October 2021.

Outside of the hospital, I adore reading and I write short stories. I'm learning to play the guitar and I love exploring new places within and outside of Canada, from the Yukon Wildlife Reserve to the night safari in Singapore!

