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## Radiologist Opportunities

*in Yellowknife, Northwest Territories*



Live. Work. Expand Your Opportunities.

Are you a Radiologist looking for a change of pace in a city with small-town charm and big-city amenities? Are you intrigued by the idea of five-minute work commutes and wilderness adventures just outside your door? Does a salaried contract with benefits and without the hassles of a fee-for-service practice appeal to you?

Then come North to **live**, **work**, and **explore** the **Northwest Territories**.

To learn more, contact us at [PracticeNWT@gov.nt.ca](mailto:PracticeNWT@gov.nt.ca)  
or visit [www.PracticeNWT.ca](http://www.PracticeNWT.ca).

## Practicing Radiology in Yellowknife

Yellowknife is seeking a permanent Radiologist Physician Specialist at Stanton Territorial Hospital. Stanton serves as the referral centre for the Northwest Territories (NWT), as well as the Kitikmeot region of Nunavut, covering close to 15% of Canada's geographic land area!

Yellowknife is the capital city of the Northwest Territories (NWT). Within our small urban centre you have access to shopping, festivals, recreational facilities, team sports, restaurants, and so much more. Our airport operates daily flights to keep us connected to the rest of Canada and we have year-round road access to Alberta. Yellowknife and its residents are welcoming to newcomers, and you will soon see why so many physicians call Yellowknife home.

The radiologist will work with our Diagnostic Imaging team. These positions require FRCPC certification, or equivalent, and must be eligible for licensure to practice in the NWT.

The Stanton Territorial Hospital has a total population catchment of nearly 50,000 people. Typically, Diagnostic Imaging Services sees approximately 700 cases per week (including weekends/evenings), with the Yellowknife radiologist expected to cover half of the CT, X-Ray, and Ultrasound cases. Our tele-radiology group covers the other half, including every OBS ultrasound and Breast imaging case.



Our radiologists usually work 40-hour weeks Monday-Friday with additional 1:4 call. Radiologists in Yellowknife provide services without overhead, practice management hassles, nor fee-for-service administration time!

Other local resources include Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, General Surgery, Otolaryngology, Obs/Gyn, Orthopedics, and Ophthalmology.

The NWT is leading the country in cultural competency and cultural safety training for our practitioners for better patient care. We are also employing technology to push the boundaries on how we can provide the best virtual care to our communities.

I would love the opportunity to tell you more about what makes Yellowknife such an amazing place to work and live. Please reach out if you have any questions!

Sincerely,

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# Compensation & Benefits

NWT physicians are provided with a unique salaried contract, with one of the **best compensation packages** in the country!

## Benefits for full-time Radiologist in Yellowknife include:

- Unique salaried contract, with one, two, and three-year options
- Annual Salary range of **\$427,262 - \$467,948** plus **\$77,070 - \$83,103** for the following benefits:

		Amount	Total
<b>Annual Compensation &amp; Benefits</b>	<b>Base Annual Salary Range</b>	\$427,262 - \$467,948	<b>\$504,332 - \$551,121</b>
	<b>Annual Benefits:</b> Annual northern living allowance Annual retention bonus Retirement income benefits range	\$77,070 - \$83,103	
<b>Plus, Recruitment bonus*!!</b>	1 year - 3 years contract	\$25,000 - \$100,000	

- No overhead or practice management
- Liability, travel, and malpractice insurance costs covered
- 100% of Northwest Territories CMPA Membership Fees covered
- Paid vacation, starting at 26.5 days per year
- Paid sick leave, starting at 18 days per year
- Paid maternal / parental leave
- Support for professional fees and educational materials (\$4,500 per year)
- Continued medical education support for travel and reimbursement of expenses (10 -15 days, \$16,400-\$19,500/yr. based on length of employment)
- Relocation assistance
- Group benefits package including dental, extended health, life, AD&D, and disability

\*Physician contract in effect until March 31, 2026.

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 to find out more about salaried contract and locum opportunities.



## Living Here

Located above the 60th parallel, the Northwest Territories awaits with seemingly endless lakes and unmatched vistas. Home to approximately 43,000 people in 33 communities, the Northwest Territories is over 1.34 million square kilometers in size.

On the shores of Great Slave Lake lies the capital city of Yellowknife (population 21,000). The 'urban' centre of the territory, Yellowknife boasts all the amenities of a big city, while maintaining its small town charm, with outdoor wilderness adventures just minutes away.

With easy access to nature and long summer days, our physicians and their families take full advantage of the overnight, weekend, and week-long paddling, sailing, and camping opportunities available to them. Music and festival lovers can enjoy the always eagerly anticipated Folk on the Rocks Music Festival, the Ramble and Ride Festival, and the weekly Farmer's Market at City Hall throughout the summer. Fishing enthusiasts will never be short of new lakes to explore, golfers can tee-off under the midnight sun, and white-water paddling lovers can spend a glorious August weekend at the Slave River Paddlefest in Fort Smith to enjoy our world-class rapids.

Yellowknife winters welcome the stunning northern lights, along with a whole new host of family-friendly activities and adventures. This includes exploring endless frozen lakes and trails for skiing, snowshoeing, snowmobiling, and even biking, as part of our every-growing fat bike community. In March, the doors to the world-famous Snow Castle on Great Slave Lake open to the public, complete with games, performances, an art show and even a royal rave!



Need a break from the outdoors? Northerners are renowned for their innovative spirit, especially during the cold winter months, so there's never a shortage of things to do. Indoor activities include including dance, arts, choir, and theatre community organizations, the Yellowknife International Film Festival, and local and international theatre and music performances at the Northern Arts and Cultural Centre. Our welcoming residents also love their pot-lucks and cozy get-togethers, with an active board games community (and board game store) for some quality friends and family time.

Year round, Yellowknife is host to dozens of delicious dining opportunities ranging from Thai, to Korean, to Japanese, to Ethiopian. Beer aficionados can try out some our locally brewed beers at the Woodyard in Old Town. Yellowknife has an indoor running track, three ice-rinks, an incredible new aquatic centre (2025) with a 25-metre swimming pool and water slides, a climbing wall, a curling rink, and two indoor fields. There are also a variety of gyms, yoga, and boxing classes. For the team sports enthusiast, you can easily fill your days playing in any number of leagues including slo-pitch, soccer, pickle ball, Ultimate, volleyball, hockey, basketball... just to name a few. And the individual and team sports options available for youth are even more extensive!

Whether you're moving to Yellowknife on your own, or with your family, Yellowknife has you covered with an amazing, welcoming place to live and work year-round!