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The Fairview FHN is located in North York. It has been a year since two separate group practices joined together, in a ‘virtual’ entity, to become the first urban FHN in Toronto. These six men and three women provide comprehensive patient coverage through an urgent care service, telephone health advisory service and staffing of an after-hours clinic. All physicians are willing to do house calls as necessary. Four nurses and a dedicated and wonderful staff of nine make up the rest of the team. The Network is looking forward to the challenge of setting up both offices with an electronic medical record system starting in Fall 2005.

All doctors are on staff at the North York General Hospital. They are involved with teaching medical students and family practice residents; committee work at the hospital and Ontario College of Family Physicians level; community based palliative care outreach program; obstetrics; and some of the doctors oversee patient care at two local nursing homes. They are all involved with ongoing education and most have actively participated in practice based small learning groups for several years. In addition, the group is part of a two-year national research project on osteoporosis, as well as serving as a representative site for family practice research regarding Primary Care reform. Approximately once monthly they hold luncheon discussion groups in their waiting room on various medical topics where they invite local specialists to participate.

Aside from their professional activities, leisure time is spent with their families and various activities such as volunteerism, cottaging, sports and traveling.