

Dr. Saurabh Parmar

RURAL PHYSICIAN – BEAVERLODGE, AB

About Me

BACKGROUND: Born and raised in Chandigarh, India.

EDUCATION: Studied medicine at University in Chandigarh, India. Completed the University of Alberta Rural Family Medicine Residency program in Grande Prairie after immigrating to Canada in 2014.

EXPERIENCE: Completed residency in Beaverlodge, Bonnyville, Peace River and Grande Prairie. Started a clinic in Beaverlodge because of the overwhelming support from the community.



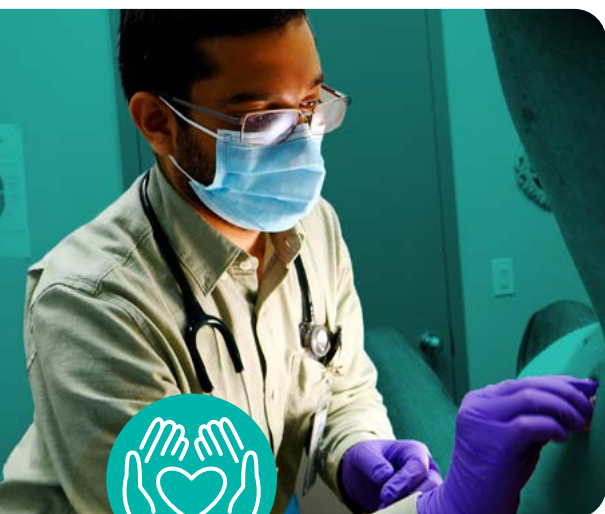
My Journey

PERSONAL STORY: Inspired to get into medicine from his older cousin, a neurosurgeon.

CHALLENGES AND REWARDS:



The most rewarding experiences are making life saving interventions for patients.



Services I Provide

COMPREHENSIVE CARE: Practises to full scope through shifts in emergency in addition to clinical care.

SPECIALIZED MEDICINE: Trained in point-of-care ultrasound, specializes in HIV medicine.

COLLABORATIVE APPROACH: Collaborates with medical specialists to provide patients with the best care.

FAVOURITE PROCEDURES: Treating lumps and bumps and using suturing skills.

Why Rural Alberta

COMMUNITY CONNECTION: I enjoy how close knit the community of Beaverlodge is. I also have relatives in the area, including my sister-in-law, Dr. Camellia Presley, a family physician.



EASY COMMUTE: I live in Grande Prairie and enjoy the easy 30-minute commute to Beaverlodge compared to the heavy traffic I experienced in my hometown of Chandigarh, a city with a population of over one million. In summer, I sometimes drive my motorcycle to work.



Join Our Journey

I encourage graduating doctors to try out rural medicine. You get to experience all different specialties.

FUTURE INTERESTS:

My goal is to receive advance training in anaesthesiology and become a General Practitioner – Anaesthetist.



Living in Rural Alberta

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES: Hiking, skiing, cricket, and riding motorcycles.

