We are a teaching clinic. What does that mean for you?

As a teaching clinic, we work closely with the University of Toronto Department of Family and Community Medicine to train the next generation of family doctors.

During your visit, you might meet a:

Medical Student
Medical students are learning to become doctors by providing care appropriate for their level of training under direct supervision.

Resident Doctor
Resident doctors are doctors who have completed medical school and are undergoing postgraduate training to specialize in family medicine.

Staff Doctor
Staff doctors are family doctors. The ones at this clinic are connected to the University of Toronto and supervise resident doctors and medical students.

*Notice: Live feed cameras may be used for teaching purposes.*

Most examination rooms have a camera-audio system that allows staff doctors to observe your care by resident doctors via livestream. The footage is never recorded or stored without permission.
- The camera can be turned off at your request.
- You may be asked if a visit can be recorded for teaching purposes. This rarely happens and you have the right to say no.

Thank you for helping us train the next generation of family doctors.

Visit dfcm.utoronto.ca for more patient resources.