

Brenden was born in Grimbsy and grew up in Cambridge, Ontario, after his family moved there for factory work. He studied philosophy and social theory at Carleton University, before taking the long way around through cooking, hotel work, and software development in Ontario, Argentina and Alberta, to end up pursuing medical school at McMaster Waterloo Regional Campus with a goal of contributing as a rural family doctor in his mid 30s. He completed residency through McMaster in Owen Sound and is pleased to be returning to SOAHAC after graduation. He has broad interests across medicine, but is especially interested in the connections between social, mental and physical well-being. He lives in Owen Sound with his wife, who is a librarian, and his two school-aged sons. They all share a passion for the lakes and he loves learning about the land, living things, astronomy and languages.



# Welcome Dr. Murphy

Please join SOAHAC in welcoming our new physician Dr. Brenden Murphy that will be covering for Dr. Jeffery for the month of September.

Dr. Murphy will be at the Mino Bimaadsawin Health Centre on Thursday September 9th, 16th and 30th.

To schedule an appointment with Dr. Murphy, please connect with SOAHAC at 519-376-5508.

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