

A professional portrait of Dr. Donna Jubin, a woman with blonde, wavy hair and blue eyes, wearing a white lab coat over a black top. She is standing with her arms crossed, looking directly at the camera with a slight smile. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

DR. DONNA JUBIN

Making a Difference

By **Tonya Lambert**

Dr. Donna Jubin always wanted to become a doctor. After studying medicine at the University of Saskatchewan and achieving her Bachelor of Anatomy, she went on to do a two-year residency in family practice, focusing mainly on women's health and obstetrics. "I loved every minute of family practice for more than 12 years, but the work/life balance was difficult. I became interested in cosmetic laser medicine and dermatology, and in 2006 decided to refocus my career," Dr. Jubin explains. A decade later, Bella Sante MD Cosmetic and Laser Clinic is Saskatchewan's premier clinic where Dr. Donna Jubin and her skilled team of nurses, aestheticians and laser technicians work hard to improve the lives of their patients. Dr. Jubin talks about how she has managed to build a successful business and balance that with a life she loves.

What woman inspires you and why?

a I can't say there's been any one person, but I love women who have confidence, follow their own dreams and aren't defined by the things around them; they're defined by themselves. It isn't always easy to follow your dreams.

What excites you about your chosen career?

a I love what I am doing and have a huge passion for this exciting and evolving area of medicine. Our clients are amazing people. It's so satisfying to be able to help people and make them feel better about themselves. Helping people be the best they can be builds confidence and we have the expertise at this clinic. Cosmetic and laser medicine is the perfect fit for me because I can combine my medical expertise and science background with my interest in art and love of people. You need to have an artistic eye to succeed in this industry; it is the perfect synergy of art and science for me.

How do you stay motivated?

a I think you need to surround yourself with people who also believe in your dreams and your goals.

What are your success habits?

a It's about always doing things with integrity. I expect that from my staff, as well. When you mix integrity, hard work and a great vision, it's the perfect recipe for success. That is how we build trust and loyalty with our clients.

What are the characteristics of a good leader?

a I think it's a sign of a true leader when you have a clear vision of what you want to accomplish. When you communicate that to others around you and they believe in that same vision and goal with passion and excitement, you now have a team working with you. The more people you have believing in that, the more momentum you get and the more likely you are to succeed. A true leader inspires others to believe in their vision.

What is your greatest professional accomplishment?

a I think it's coming. I'm excited about what's next. Every conference I go to and hear about new advancements or technologies gets me excited about what the future holds. People talk about retirement and I think, 'Why would I retire when I'm doing what I love?' I don't ever see myself retiring. People retire to do the things they've always wanted to do; I'm doing that every day. ■

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Dr. Donna Jubin, M.D., C.C.F.P., BSc Anatomy, is the founder and medical director of Saskatoon's premier cosmetic and laser clinic since 2006. The team of physicians, nurses and aestheticians at Bella Sante MD specialize in the state-of-the-art, non-invasive, anti-aging procedures and cosmetic dermatology which empower their patients to look and feel their best. She is fully licensed by the College of Physicians

and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, College of Family Physicians of Canada, Canadian Medical Association, Canadian Association of Aesthetic Medicine and the American Society of Laser Medicine.

Dr. Jubin is the primary injector of Botox in Saskatchewan. "It is all about helping patients achieve the goal of being the best they can be," says Dr. Jubin.

Dr. Jubin and her staff are committed to ongoing education to remain on the cutting-edge of cosmetic medicine. They attend many conferences, workshops, lectures and educational events in North America and internationally.



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