

# HEALTHCARE PROFILES

The Doctors at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital



## Michael Cohan, D.O., F.A.C.C.

**SPECIALTY:** Cardiology (Board-certified)

**MEDICAL SCHOOL:** University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, School of Osteopathic Medicine

**RESIDENCY:** Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia

**CARDIOLOGY FELLOWSHIP:** The Graduate Hospital, Philadelphia

**WHY HE MOVED TO SOUTHERN VERMONT:** “I came to BMH from a high-volume practice in Philadelphia because I wanted to spend more time with patients—to make a difference in their lives through my expertise and experience in cardiology. I’m also an avid and dedicated nature photographer, and Vermont is filled with opportunities for creating great pictures.”

**ON “NON-INVASIVE” CARDIOLOGY:** “Non-invasive cardiology relies on a range of sophisticated tools like echocardiography, ECGs, Holter monitors, event monitors, stress testing and more to diagnose heart problems as early as possible, so that we can begin effective treatment immediately. It’s surprising how often we find patients with ‘hidden’ heart problems.”

**HIS BIGGEST CHALLENGE:** “Getting people to realize how valuable cardiologic testing can be in preventing major heart attacks. These tests are

available at BMH. Many people dismiss signs of trouble until the damage is serious.”

**ON SETTING PRIORITIES IN LIFE:**

“My family, cardiology and photography are the three pillars of my life. I’m happy to live and work in a community that allows me to devote time to each of these passions.”

**FAMILY:** Wife Lynn and son Alex, 6.



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