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Notice of Practice Closure

Dear Patients:

I am writing to inform you that after much consideration, I have decided to close my Pediatric practice effective **August 31, 2023**. I would like to thank all of you for entrusting me with your children's health care. I have enjoyed getting to know each and everyone of you and I will miss seeing you on a regular basis.

Finding a New Doctor

It is advisable that you find a new physician for future care as soon as possible. I encourage you to seek continuity of care with some of the suggestions below:

1. If you and/or your child are linked with a primary care physician/family doctor/nurse practitioner, contact their office to confirm your child can be cared for there.
2. Call "Health Care Connect" at 1-800-445-1822 or register online at <https://www.ontario.ca/page/find-family-doctor-or-nurse-practitioner>
3. Contact **RSRS** (see below). They often are aware of physicians accepting new patients.

If you have an urgent medical matter in the absence of a doctor, please proceed to the nearest emergency room.

Your Medical Record

I am required by the College of Physicians & Surgeons to store all original patient records for a period of time before they can be destroyed. I have selected **RSRS**, a physician-managed company to safely and securely store all patient records from my practice and to assist you in **obtaining a certified copy for yourself and/or your new physician**. Requests for your records from a new physician's office can be faxed in to RSRS at 1-877-398-5932 or emailed to info@rsrs.com

I encourage you to obtain a certified copy of your personal medical history. It is an important file for your continued care and should be accessible at all times. While there is a fee for the copy/transfer of medical records, it is not prohibitive. Please contact RSRS at:

www.recordsolutions.ca/DrArdeshiri

Tel: 1-888-563-3732 Press 1, 1, then 1 again

Fax: 1-877-398-5932

Email: info@rsrs.com

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all the best in your health care needs. Thank you once again for allowing me to be part of your lives.

Sincerely,

Dr. Farnaz Ardeshiri

*RSRS is a physician-managed medical records storage facility. They are fully compliant with the guidelines set by the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and the relevant privacy regulations.