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Notice of Practice Closure

Dear Patients:

It is with a heavy heart that I am writing to announce the closure of my general practice. It has been a privilege and an honour serving as your physician. The last day for seeing patients will be **January 7, 2024**. Making the decision to leave my practice has not been easy and leaving a practice with so many wonderful patients will be the most difficult part. I have valued the trusted relationships we developed and truly appreciated the opportunity to help you manage your health care needs.

I am excited to be going back to school: I have been accepted into a Public Health Fellowship starting January 2024, in the hopes of deepening my knowledge of public health. I hope to shift my career from clinical practice into the broader health management system. The last few years have highlighted the critical need for expertise in this area and aligns with my interests. It also allows me to be a more available parent to my daughter in these critical years of her growth.

Finding a New Doctor

Unfortunately, I have not found a physician to take over my practice. I recognize that finding a new physician may be challenging so I encourage you to be proactive in your own healthcare management and in your search. Here are some suggestions to try:

1. Ask family and friends if their doctor may be accepting new patients.
2. Speak to your local pharmacist who may be aware of new physicians in your area.
3. Go to <https://albertafindadoctor.ca/>
4. Contact "Health Link Alberta" at 1-800-408-5465.
5. 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 - IMPORTANT

The College of Physicians & Surgeons requires that I store all original patient records for a period of time before they can be destroyed. Your medical record does not automatically follow you when you leave a medical practice, unless you arrange for it. I have selected RSRS, a physician-managed company, to safely and securely store all patient records from my practice. RSRS will also assist you in obtaining a certified and searchable copy of your medical file for yourself and/or your new physician.

We encourage each of you to arrange for the transfer of your record as it is a particularly important file for your continued care and should be accessible at all times, especially in the absence of a new doctor. We have included an infographic illustrating 10 reasons why the record is so important. There is a fee for the copy/transfer of medical records, but it is not prohibitive. Please do not delay in making arrangements by contacting RSRS today by visiting:

www.recordsolutions.ca/DrOyeniran

Phone: 1-888-563-3732 Ext. 1

Fax: 1-877-398-5932

Email: info@rsrs.com

Though this is a very exciting personal development, it comes with bittersweet goodbyes to relationships that have become meaningful to my daughter and me. It is hard to put into words how difficult a decision this has been for me to make. Thank you for giving me the privilege of being a key part of your lives. So many of you have also become dear friends over this time, and I appreciate your kindness and friendship. It has been an honour serving as your primary care provider and I wish you all the very best with the future.

Sincerely,

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*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 Alberta and the relevant privacy