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NOTICE OF PRACTICE CLOSURE

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Dear Patient,

It is with considerable regret that I inform you of the closing of my practice at the end of this calendar year and my last day in my office will be December 15th 2017. This is my decision, but it is clearly one of the most difficult I have ever had to make. However, given the passing of my partner Dr. Phil Huggett last year, and our failure to find replacements despite national, provincial and local searches, I find myself without a viable alternative.

It has been a great privilege for me to have been at your service for the past thirty-eight years. Daily, I have left joy, sadness, and wonder at the resilience of human nature. I have been challenged and humbled. But I have loved every minute of the experience.

Finding a New Doctor

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia have a web site that may be of assistance in your search, www.cpsbc.ca. You can also call them at **604-733-7758**.

Alternatively, you may be able to join the practice of a doctor who see other members of your family.

Medical Record (Important)

It is required that all original clinical records of patients are to be kept for a specified period before they are destroyed. I have contracted with **RSRS (Record Storage & Retrieval Services)**, a compliant medical records facility, to store the records from the practice and to transfer a copy of your file upon your instruction.

I recommend that you obtain a copy of your medical chart from RSRS. This information is important for your continued care. Please inform any specialist, clinic or hospital you attend of your new family doctor's name and location.

To obtain a copy of your medical record,
please complete the online request form
at: www.recordsolutions.ca/drstockdill
or contact
Patient Support at 1-888-563-3732, Ext.1

(Please note that there is a fee for the copying and transferring of medical records.)

I will miss the camaraderie and support of our office staff, in particular Caryne Pellerin but also Tish Baker, Nicole Lidstone and Geneviève Godin.

Please accept my heartfelt wishes to each one of you.

Sincerely,

James Stockdill M.D.

* RSRS is a fully compliant, physician-managed medical records facility