A Note of Thanks and Farewell to my Patients.

After beginning my practice of obstetrics and gynecology here in Rochester on July 1, 1980 I have had the great privilege of caring for so many wonderful people. After delivering more than 3,000 babies at Crittenton Hospital (now Ascension Providence Rochester) I stopped my obstetrical practice on June 30, 1992 which allowed me to spend more time with my, then, young family and also refine my skills in the field of gynecology and GYN surgery. After all this time I still love providing gynecologic care to all of you, both at the office and in the hospital/operating room.

Despite this I have decided that I will be retiring as of April 1, 2021 which will allow me to spend more time with my wife, Terri, as well as with our children, grandchildren as well as with our older siblings and extended family. I will also get back to enjoying some of my long-time passions such as tennis, golf and gardening. Terri and I will also have more time to travel and say "yes" to the many invitations from friends and relatives who have asked us to visit them in Florida, South Carolina, Wyoming, California, Spain, Germany, etc.

The decision to retire has been difficult but has been made easier in the knowledge that your care will be assumed by the Contemporary Obstetrics & Gynecology group here in Rochester. The OB-GYNs there, all of whom I greatly respect and admire, are Drs. Richard Duff (my "old partner"), Brian Reedy, Daniel Greene, Andrea Blake, Sara Burke and Lauryn Przeslawski. These exceptional physicians will continue to provide to you superior, empathetic and compassionate care, just as I have strived to do for so many years. Their main office is on the first floor of the professional building attached to the hospital, 248-656-2022, and they also have office locations in Oxford and Washington Township.

In ending this message to you, I want to wish you good health and bountiful happiness in the future and to let you know that I really have considered it a privilege and honor to be a partner in your health care for all of these years. God speed.

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