

Care4You Medical Clinic

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Dear valued patients,

It is with a heavy heart that I am writing to inform you that I will be closing my family practice. My last day of work at Care4You Medical Clinic will be August 31, 2023. This decision was not an easy one to make, but it is necessary for personal reasons.

I have had the honour of serving as your physician and being a part of your healthcare journey. I have cherished the relationships I have built with each and every one of you, and I am grateful for the trust you have placed in me to care for your health.

I understand that this news may come as a shock and be unsettling for you. Please know that I have explored every option to find a new physician to take over my practice and provide ongoing care to you. However, despite my best efforts, and due to the shortage of physicians in family practice, a suitable replacement was not found.

I would urge you to join the waitlist for a new family doctor by registering on the government waitlist at:

<https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/health-connect-registry/fraser-northwest>

While Care4You Medical Clinic continues to search for a suitable replacement, it is still advised that you join the waitlist mentioned above, in addition to continuing your own search in the event we are not successful. There is no need to contact the clinic to express your interest, if Care4You Medical can recruit a new practitioner you will be contacted directly by the clinic.

Your medical records will be safely stored at Care4You Medical Clinic. Your new practitioner may request your records by faxing a signed request for records transfer to the clinic at fax number (604) 525 4541.

Please visit the clinic's website for more details:

<https://www.care4youmedical.com>

Once again, it has been a great pleasure and privilege to be your family physician. Making this decision was not easy and I hope you can understand. Please accept my sincerest apologies for any inconvenience this closure may cause. I wish you all the best for your future health and well-being.

Sincerely, Dr.Mina Elmasry

Document enclosed: Options for Unattached Patients