



Wiscasset Family Medicine

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To my valued patients:

I have enjoyed caring for you and your families in this community for over 40 years, thank you for putting your trust in me. With a lot of joy, and some sadness, I am writing to let you know of my intention to retire. As you all know, this practice is staffed with some of the most knowledgeable and caring providers in the state. I highly recommend that you select one of these providers for your future medical needs.

We understand that some of you may want to select a new physician outside of our practice. Please be assured that my staff and I will do everything we can to make the transition smooth and stress free. I recommend that you begin looking for a new physician as soon as possible. You may contact the physician referral line at local hospitals or you may use one of the many online physician referral systems.

Your medical records are confidential and will remain on file with Wiscasset Family Medicine. If you would like to choose another provider within the practice, please contact our office as soon as possible as there is limited space in the existing provider's panels for new patients. If you choose a provider outside of our practice, you will need to sign an authorization form before we can release your medical records.

Please note, by law we cannot share your medical information without your written consent. You may sign this form at our office or you may complete the necessary paperwork at your first visit with your new doctor.

Over the past 4 decades, I have watched many families in the area grow and have shared heartache and joy with hundreds of patients. I appreciate your friendship and loyalty throughout the years and will take the memories of all that I have experienced with me into my retirement. The opportunity to have lived a meaningful life in your midst has been your gift to me. Continuing to find meaning in retirement is my next challenge.

If you have any questions, you can contact Shelley Strozier here at the practice. Shelley is the practice manager and you can reach her at 207-882-6008. My retirement is effective on December 20th, 2018. If I do not have an appointment to see you, then I wish you health and happiness.

Sincerely Yours,

Dr. Edward B. Kitfield