

October 11, 2024

Dear Patient,



I hope this letter finds you in good health. I am writing to inform you of an upcoming change which may affect your health care. After 32 years at Austin Regional Clinic (ARC), and after much thought and careful consideration, I have decided to retire from the practice of endocrinology due to family reasons. This comes with much sadness as I have loved being able to call ARC my professional home for so many years, and I will always cherish the relationships I built with my patients and colleagues.

- **Monday, January 6, 2025**, will be my last day seeing patients at ARC Seton Northwest.

Please disregard this letter if you are not a regular patient of mine, your care at ARC will not change.

It is very important to me as well as ARC that you maintain continuous health care. ARC’s electronic medical record system allows your records to be accessed from any ARC location and ensures that both my notes and your medical records will be available for your future care.

At ARC it is our standard that we support our partners and take care of each other’s patients. I have complete trust that my colleague, **Farheen Yousuf, MD** at **ARC South 1st Specialty and Pediatrics**, will be more than happy to welcome you to her practice and take excellent care of your endocrinological needs.

For your convenience, you can schedule your next appointment with Dr. Yousuf by calling **512-ARC-INFO (512-272-4636)** and pressing “1” to speak with a scheduler, Mon - Fri, 8:00am - 5:00pm.

Please know that medication refills and imaging orders cannot be approved once I am no longer at ARC, so please establish care with your new endocrinologist or discuss future refills with your primary care physician.

If I have seen you for your reproductive health needs, and you want to continue this care, Reproductive Endocrinologists with OB/Gyn training may be able to provide treatment.

If you would like any additional help, please call **512-ARC-INFO (512-272-4636)** and press “6” or visit ARCEndocrinology.com to learn more about our endocrinology department.

I am truly grateful to you for entrusting me with your health and allowing me to be your doctor over the years.

Sincerely,

Maya B. Bledsoe, MD

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