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Dear patients and parents,

After 35 years of practicing Pediatrics I have decided to retire as of June 30, 2019 from full time practice.

I am excited to announce that Dr. Michelle Cook will be joining the practice full time this July and will be taking over my patients. Dr. Cook graduated from the University of California San Diego and medical school at Case Western. She will be completing residency training in Pediatrics at the University of Rochester this June. I am confident that you will welcome her and will be very pleased with her care.

At this time, my partners at Long Pond Pediatrics have very full practices and therefore will not be able to take on my patients but will be available as always for illness visits when Dr. Cook is not in the office. If you should decide to transfer your child's care to another pediatric practice, my office staff will be available to help you obtain copies of medical records once written consent is received.

I plan to continue to be available, on a limited basis, to patients who are adopted, are older teens, or have complex medical and mental health needs, until June 30, 2020.

I have very much enjoyed being your pediatrician and wish you the very best of health and good fortune in the future.

Sincerely,

Mary Anne Kiernan, MD