

San Diego Rheumatology Medical Group, Inc.

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Dear Patients,

With mixed emotions, Dr. Katherine Nguyen and San Diego Rheumatology Medical Group (SDRMG) are writing to you to announce the closing of SDRMG effective June 30th, 2018.

After 18 years in private practice at SDRMG, Dr. Nguyen has decided to join UCSD faculty which will allow her to continue patient's care in an academic setting. Starting July 1st, 2018, Dr. Nguyen will be available to provide care to patients at UCSD Rheumatology/Arthritis clinic, at the Medical Offices South location - 4168 Front Street, Suite 4, San Diego, CA 92103. If you would like to continue your care with Dr. Nguyen, please call UCSD Physician Access Services by to register as a new patient or to update your registration at 800-926-8273, Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Starting July 1st, 2018, please call Arthritis Clinic, Medical Offices South at 619-543-6248 to schedule/confirm an appointment.

Please note that you will not be able to access the SDRMG office's email portal after 6/30/2018.

Attached please find an e-document for the release of medical record form, please sign and return if required.

Your medical record will be securely maintained with SDRMG for 10 years from the date of your last visit. To request your medical record, please send a written request to San Diego Rheumatology Medical Group, P.O. Box 928648, San Diego, CA 92192 together with your signed release of medical record form. The service for transferring your record to a medical provider is free of charge. If you would like to obtain your medical record for your own use, there will be a processing fee, including 25 cents per page, up to \$50.00 per medical record request.

Dr. Nguyen and SDRMG have greatly valued our relationship with you and thank you very much for your loyalty and friendship over the years. Best wishes for your future health.

Yours sincerely,

San Diego Rheumatology Medical Group