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Allan, Douglas J., Stratford, Ont.; University of Edinburgh (Scotland), 1949; obstetrics and gynecology. Died Mar. 11, 2023, aged 98.


Carscadden, Terence R., Sudbury, Ont.; Queen’s University, 1964; family medicine. Died Feb. 14, 2023, aged 89. Survived by his wife Sylvia, 4 children and 6 grandchildren. Read Dr. Carscadden’s obituary: https://www.simplewishesnorth.com/obituary/Terence-Carscadden-1

Dion, Marcel A., Montréal; Université de Montréal, 1957; plastic surgery. Died Aug. 5, 2022, aged 94. Survived by his wife, Micheline Després Maillé, 4 children, 11 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Dion’s obituary: https://www.journaldemontreal.com/2022/10/08/403c843c69/dion-marcel-a

Drouin, Ariane, Verdun, Que.; internal medicine. Died Mar. 1, 2023, aged 31. Survived by her parents and 2 siblings. Read Dr. Drouin’s obituary: https://necrocanada.com/deces-2023/drouin-ariane-03-01/

Du Toit, Nadia, Edmonton; University of Pretoria (South Africa), 2002; obstetrics and gynecology. Died Aug. 16, 2022, aged 44. Survived by her husband, Kyle Lamoureaux, and 2 children. Read Dr. Du Toit’s obituary: https://www.capitalcitycremation.ca/obituaries/nadia-du-toit-2/


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Groenewald, Petrus J. (Peter, Pete), Yorkton, Sask.; University of Pretoria (South Africa), 1989; family medicine. Died Mar. 21, 2023, aged 63. Survived by his wife Carla and a stepson. Read Dr. Groenewald’s obituary: https://baileysfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/3287/Dr-Peter-Groenewald/obituary.html

Gubbins, William B. (Berry), Parksville, BC; Queen’s University Belfast (Northern Ireland), 1970; general practice. Died Apr. 2, 2023, aged 76. Survived by his wife Naida, 4 children, 2 stepchildren and 5 grandchildren. Read Dr. Gubbins’ obituary: https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/william-gubbins-obituary?id=51586390

Leclaire, Richard, Montréal; Université de Montréal, 1966; physiatry. Died Nov. 18, 2022, aged 81. Survived by his wife, Françoise Lafortune, 2 children and 5 grandchildren. Read Dr. Leclaire’s obituary: https://mountroyalcem.permavita.com/site/LeclaireRichard.html?s=40&siteLanguage=fr_CA#

Létourneau, Dany-Roch, Québec; Université Laval, 1997; anesthesiology. Died Mar. 7, 2023, aged 54. Survived by his wife, Leila Catafago, and 2 children. Read Dr. Létourneau’s obituary: https://www.coopfuneraire2rives.com/avis-de-deces/dany-roch-letourneau-243227/

Loewen, Lowell M., Saskatoon; University of Saskatchewan, 1957; family medicine. Died Mar. 23, 2023, aged 88. Member, first graduating class, University of Saskatchewan medical school. Survived by his wife Win, 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Read Dr. Loewen’s obituary: https://thestarphoenix.remembering.ca/obituary/lowell-loewen-1087343222


Pelletier, Jean-Guy, Québec; Université Laval, 1966; anesthesiology; former member, Canadian Forces. Died Jan. 24, 2023, aged 81. Survived by his wife, Micheline Dumais, 3 children, 6 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Read Dr. Pelletier’s obituary: https://www.coopfuneraire2rives.com/avis-de-deces/jean-guy-pelletier-241918/


Roy, Jacques J., Port Coquitlam, BC; Université Laval, 1966; general pathology. Died Mar. 6, 2023, aged 82. Read Dr. Roy’s obituary: https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/port-coquitlam-bc/jacques-roy-11188534

Schubert, Matthew (Matt), Saskatoon; University of Saskatchewan, 1989; obstetrics and gynecology. Died Mar. 21, 2023, aged 64. Survived by his wife, Patrice Pollock, and 4 children. Read Dr. Schubert’s obituary: https://thestarphoenix.remembering.ca/obituary/matt-schubert-1087325940


Thorkelson, Grahame W., Kelowna, BC; University of Manitoba, 1956; general practice. Died June 24, 2022, aged 82. Survived by 2 children, 4 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Thorkelson’s obituary: https://www.springfieldfuneralhome.com/obituaries/thorkelson-grahame-walter-karl/

Townson, Janice R., Saint John, NB; Dalhousie University, 2013; family medicine. Died Mar. 21, 2023, aged 40. Survived by her husband Zac and 2 children. Read Dr. Townson’s obituary: https://www.fundyfuneralhome.com/obituary/DrJanice-Townson

Waraich, Paul S., Vancouver; McMaster University, 1996; psychiatry. Died March 3, 2023, aged 51. Survived by 2 children. Read Dr. Waraich’s obituary: https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/thespec/name/paul-waraich-obituary?id=49565864