



# Rochester Lifestyle Medicine Group

August 30, 2021

To our valued patients:

In order to focus on our nonprofit work at Rochester Lifestyle Medicine Institute, we have decided to close Rochester Lifestyle Medicine Group, our medical practice.

Our providers will be available for scheduled appointments at our current office until the closing date on September 30, 2021. After that, Dr. Susan Friedman will be available to continue to see you for Lifestyle Medicine visits at Geriatrics and Medical Associates located at 990 South Avenue, Rochester, NY 14620.

To ensure continuity of care, your medical records will be automatically transferred to Dr. Friedman's new office on 9/30/21. Please feel free to call her new office at (585) 341-6775 after 9/20/21 to schedule an appointment. Of course, you are welcome to choose another provider and have your records transferred elsewhere if you wish.

If you would like to transfer your records elsewhere, please complete the enclosed authorization form and return it by 9/15/21. By law, all medical records must be transferred to a licensed physician. In accordance with state and federal law, a copy of your medical records will be maintained for at least seven years.

Thank you for trusting us with your healthcare needs. It has been an honor to care for you and I wish you all the best for your future health and happiness!

Sincerely,

Ted D. Barnett, MD, FACLM  
Founder and CEO  
Rochester Lifestyle Medicine Group