Kelsey-Seybold Clinic[®]

Changing the way health cares."



Chithra Poongkunran, MD
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The Woodlands

Dear Patient,

I am writing to inform you that **May 14** will be my last day caring for patients at Kelsey-Seybold Clinic. It has been an honor and privilege to be your physician, and I have enjoyed the relationship we have built.

Continuing your medical care is important. I encourage you to select a new physician without delay. Once you select and schedule an appointment with your new Kelsey-Seybold doctor, they will have access to your medical history — including prescription medications, labs and test results, and your health history information — to ensure a seamless care transition.

I have included a list of physicians who are welcoming new patients. You can view any of their online profiles at **kelsey-seybold.com/bios**, where you can search for additional physicians by name, clinic locations, medical specialty, and languages spoken.

If you would like help in selecting your new Kelsey-Seybold physician, call our **Patient Help Line** at **713-442-1233** on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

If you need prescription refills before your next appointment, ask your pharmacist to call the number on your prescription label, or visit your MyKelseyOnline account or **kelsey-seybold.com/prescriptionrefills** to request a refill.

Best wishes for your continued health.

Sincerely,

Chithra Poongkunran, MD

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To schedule in-person appointments and Virtual Visits, call Kelsey-Seybold's 24/7 Contact Center at **713-442-0000**.

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Pulmonologists Welcoming New Patients



Ali Al-Himyary, MD, MPH, earned his medical degree at Kuwait University, Kuwait City, and completed his internship and residency at the University of Illinois. Dr. Al-Himyary joined Kelsey-Seybold in 2002.



Bashar Farjo, MD, graduated as valedictorian from the University of Baghdad College of Medicine. He completed his Internal Medicine residency at Union Memorial Hospital/University of Maryland in Baltimore. Dr. Farjo joined Kelsey-Seybold in 2015.



Walid Baaklini, MD, earned his medical degree at American University of Beirut in 1993. He then completed his residency at Baylor College of Medicine. Dr. Baaklini joined Kelsey-Seybold in 2006.



Samim Jafri, MD, earned his medical degree at Dow Medical College in Karachi, Pakistan, in 2010. He completed his Internal Medicine residency at the University of Texas Health Science Center at Rio Grande Valley School of Medicine's Valley Baptist Medical Center in Harlingen. Dr. Jafri joined Kelsey-Seybold in March 2022.

Access Your Medical Record

If you wish to seek care outside of Kelsey-Seybold, you will need to obtain your medical record by calling the Medical Records Department at **713-442-5700** and filling out a Release of Healthcare Information Form.