



An Important Message from Boston Shriners Hospital for Children

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Dear Nobles,

Shriners Hospitals for Children — Boston has provided the highest quality of pediatric burn care to children in this region for more than 50 years, regardless of their families' ability to pay. Although our commitment to our patients' health and well-being has remained steadfast, much has changed since the hospital opened. This includes the direction of health care and the new and innovative methods employed to provide the best treatments possible.

As you may know, the Boston Shriners Hospital has been exploring how to most effectively and efficiently deliver care to our patients in our current location. We want you to know that we have begun a state required regulatory process to reimagine and transform our current space.

A comprehensive review of our building footprint and an evaluation of patient care as well as administrative needs resulted in plans to consolidate services to three floors within the existing building. After state approval and upon completion, the outpatient clinic, our inpatient unit and all accompanying space will be refreshed and upgraded. This is consistent with the strategic plan that we developed to implement this vision, which was approved by the Joint Boards.

As one of our supporting Shrine Centers, we are happy to share this update with you and we are energized about our future. Throughout this process, the Boston Shriners Hospital will remain open, treating children who need our specialized care. We will keep you updated as we move through the regulatory process. Your support has always been invaluable and we look forward to sharing a long and bright future together.

Sincerely,

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