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Staff Gynecologists/Oncologists
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Dear Colleagues:

RE: Interim Care of Gynecologic Oncology Patients in Newfoundland and Labrador

As you are no doubt aware, our three Gynecologic Oncologists have resigned from their positions with Eastern Health effective mid December 2008. We continue to work with them and Government in the hope of resolving all outstanding issues.

We are a tertiary-level academic centre providing service to the entire province of Newfoundland and Labrador. I write to ask for your assistance in this challenging time and on behalf of the women of this province who need gynecologic oncology care.

We would be interested in any arrangement that might see our patients come to your centre or alternatively for you to visit our centre. Please contact us to discuss any possible arrangement that may assist our patients.

Sincerely yours,

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