

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Darrell A. Campbell, Jr., M.D., professor of surgery in the Medical School, will retire from active faculty status on May 31, 2016.

Dr. Campbell received his B.S. degree from Michigan State University in 1968 and his M.D. degree from George Washington University in 1972. He completed his surgery internship (1972-73) and surgery residency (1973-74 and 1976-78) at the University of Michigan. From 1974-76, he worked as an investigator in the laboratory of Ronald B. Herberman at the National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1978, and was promoted to associate professor in 1983, and professor in 1990. He was named the Henry King Ransom Professor of Surgery from 2002-12.

Dr. Campbell is a leader in the fields of kidney, pancreas, and liver transplantation, with special expertise in pediatric transplantation. He held a number of key positions in the Department of Surgery, including chief of the Division of Transplantation, head of the Section of General Surgery, associate chair for education, program director for general surgery, associate chair for clinical affairs, and interim chief of the Division of Transplantation. In recent years, Dr. Campbell's efforts focused on patient safety and the quality of care through his service as chief of clinical affairs, senior associate director for clinical affairs, and chief medical officer. He also worked closely with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan to implement an innovative surgical quality improvement program in 73 Michigan hospitals. He played an instrumental role in the development of the American College of Surgeons National Surgical Quality Improvement Program. Dr. Campbell received the Patient Safety and Quality Leadership Award from the Michigan Hospital Association (2005), the John M. Eisenberg Patient Safety and Quality Award from the Joint Commission and the National Quality Forum (2007), and the Impact Accelerator Award from the UM Institute for Healthcare Policy & Innovation (2014).

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Darrell A. Campbell, Jr., professor emeritus of surgery**.

Requested by:



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