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**ACTION REQUEST**

**Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement**

**Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir**

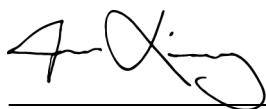
**Gregory John Ensing, M.D.**, clinical professor of pediatrics in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on May 28, 2024.

Dr. Ensing received his M.D. from Loyola University Stritch School of Medicine in 1982. Following residency training in pediatrics at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN (1982-1985), he entered his fellowship in pediatric cardiology at the Mayo Clinic (1985-1988). In 1988, Dr. Ensing was appointed as an instructor in pediatrics at the Mayo Clinic and was recruited to Indiana University School of Medicine as clinical assistant professor of pediatrics (1988-1993). He was promoted to clinical associate professor of pediatrics in 1993, and in 1998, he was recruited to Michigan as clinical associate professor of pediatrics. In 2003, Dr. Ensing was promoted to clinical professor of pediatrics; the position from which he now retires.

Dr. Ensing is a nationally recognized clinical scholar in pediatric echocardiography. He has been extensively involved in teaching medical students, pediatric house officers, and cardiology trainees in general pediatric cardiology and non-invasive imaging. In 2022, Dr. Ensing received national recognition from the American Society of Echocardiography with the Richard Popp Excellence in Teaching Award. He is a fellow of the American Society of Echocardiography and a fellow of the American College of Cardiology. He has served on several national leadership committees, including as a member of the American Society of Echocardiography Board of Directors and the American Society of Echocardiography Governance Committee. He has held several important administrative roles, including co-director (1998-2003) and director (2003-2018) of the Echocardiography Laboratory in the Congenital Heart Center and director of Pediatric Cardiology Outreach (2012-2015). Dr. Ensing has published over 90 peer-reviewed articles and has served as an ad hoc reviewer for many top-tier journals, including the *American Journal of Cardiology*, *Journal of the American College of Cardiology*, *Journal of the American Society of Echocardiography*, and *Circulation*. He has served on the editorial board of the *Journal of the American Society of Echocardiography* (2002-2005) and the editorial board of *Congenital Heart Disease: Clinical Studies from Fetus to Adulthood* (2005-present). Dr. Ensing's contributions to the division, Department of Pediatrics, and Michigan Medicine are outstanding.

The Regents now salute this distinguished clinician, leader, and teacher by naming **Gregory John Ensing, clinical professor emeritus of pediatrics**.

**Requested by:**



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**Jon Kinsey**  
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