THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Death
Action Requested: Adoption of Memorial Statement

The regents of the University of Michigan acknowledge with profound sadness the death of Mark H. Borkin, M.D., clinical assistant professor of internal medicine in the Medical School. Dr. Borkin died on July 18, 2022.

Dr. Borkin received his B.S. (1972) and M.D. (1976) degrees from the University of Michigan. He completed a one-year internship in internal medicine at the University of Michigan. He then completed his residency in internal medicine at Sloan-Kettering Memorial Hospital in New York, New York in 1979 where he also served as a chief resident. Following his residency, he completed a fellowship in pulmonary medicine at Mount Sinai School of Medicine in New York in 1981. He served as the medical director of the Falk Surgical Intensive Care Unit at Mount Sinai until 1982 and managing partner and CEO of Scarsdale Medical Group in New York until 1991. He then became an attending physician at White Plains Hospital in White Plains, New York until 2014. He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 2015 as a clinical assistant professor and a staff physician at the Ann Arbor VA Healthcare System in ambulatory care, and proudly served Veterans as an exceptional experienced physician and educator.

Dr. Borkin will be well remembered for his dedication to educating and mentoring young physician learners and meticulous attention to detail in patient care and patient history documentation. His calm demeanor in all situations and insistence on excellence helped to provide a very high standard of care that extended into the entire practice. He was always approachable, regularly exhibiting the competence of a master clinician.

As we mourn the loss of our beloved colleague, we extend our heartfelt condolences to his wife, Holly, and son, Daniel, and his many loving relatives and friends.

Requested by:

Sally J. Churchill, J.D.
Vice President and Secretary of the University

Adopted by the Regents
September 22, 2022