## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

## **ACTION REQUEST**

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D., M.S., professor of pediatrics in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on December 31, 2019.

Dr. Hutchinson received his B.S. degree from Boston College in 1969, his B.M.S. degree from Dartmouth Medical School in 1971, his M.D. degree from Harvard Medical School in 1973, and his M.S. degree from the University of Michigan in 1989. He completed his pediatric residency at the New England Medical Center in Boston, Massachusetts in 1975, followed by his oncology fellowship at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia in 1978. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1978, and was promoted to associate professor in 1986, and professor in 1993.

For more than 40 years, Dr. Hutchinson was an instrumental member of the university community through his commitment to clinical excellence, research, and service, as well as his mentorship of the next generation of physicians. He held a number of key leadership roles within the Department of Pediatrics and the Medical School, including clinical director of the Pediatric Bone Marrow Transplant Program (1991-2004), co-chair of IRBMED (2004-06), clinical director of pediatric hematology/oncology (2005-09), assistant dean for research regulatory affairs (2006), associate dean for research regulatory affairs (2006-08), and associate dean for regulatory affairs (2008-19). Dr. Hutchinson published over 130 peer-reviewed publications. He was actively involved in the development of novel therapies for Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia and Hodgkin's Lymphoma in children through his leadership of a number of national clinical trials. Dr. Hutchinson participated in the early development of radiolabeled metaiodobenzylguanidine (MIBG) for the imaging and treatment of neuroblastoma. He was named a "Best Doctors in America" from 1994-2019 and "America's Top Doctors for Cancer" by Castle Connolly and the American Registry from 2008-19.

The Regents now salute this distinguished clinician, scholar, leader, and teacher by naming Raymond J. Hutchinson, professor emeritus of pediatrics.

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