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Dear Patient,

I would like to take a moment to personally welcome you to our practice. I am pleased that you have chosen us to be your primary care provider. Our goal is to provide the compassionate and personalized care to all our patients.

As a General Internal Medicine physician, I diagnose and treat many health conditions seen in adult population ages 16 and up. I also perform annual wellness/physical examinations, adult vaccinations and minor procedures such as skin tag removal & trigger point injection. My focus is screening and prevention of diseases. My special interests are diagnoses and management of diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol and obesity. I have admitting privileges at Advocate Condell Medical Center Medical Center and will coordinate your Inpatient care with the hospitalist (a doctor who is an expert in taking care of people in the hospital).

I am conveniently located in the Advocate Condell Outpatient Building in Grayslake. It is located on Route 120 (West of Route 45 & East of Route 83). It is wheelchair accessible and there is ample free parking available.

My office hours are Monday, Tuesday and Friday 8.30am-5pm, Thursday 11am-7 pm and 1<sup>st</sup> & 3rd Saturday of the month 9.00am-1pm. We are closed on Wednesday and Sunday. I can be reached by dialing our main office telephone number for after hour emergencies.

Please be prepared to spend 45 to 60 minutes with me on your first visit to the office. We will go over your medical history, perform an appropriate exam and address your health concerns. To make this appointment satisfactory for both of us, please bring a completed registration & health history form, copies of your available medical records and bottles of your current medications/supplements. This will allow me to assess your medical needs more efficiently. Please also bring your insurance card, any copay needed and photo ID.

I look forward to our meeting and partnering with you to realize your health care goals.

Sincerely,

Parag B. Thakkar, MD