

# March 2023 obituaries

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**Abramson, Harry**, Toronto; University of Toronto, 1954; internal medicine. Died Jan. 10, 2023, aged 92. Survived by 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Read Dr. Abramson's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/harry-abramson-obituary?pid=203636915>

**Ankenman, G. John**, Vancouver; Queen's University, 1949; urology. Died Nov. 6, 2022, aged 96. Survived by 4 children and 5 grandchildren. Read Dr. Ankenman's obituary: <https://vancouver.sunandprovince.remembering.ca/obituary/g-john-ankenman-1086683434>

**Aylward, Bedford Z.**, Dawson Creek, BC; Dalhousie University, 1957; general practice. Died Aug. 25, 2022, aged 92. Survived by his wife Bernice, 4 children, 10 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Aylward's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/alaskahighwaynews/name/bedford-aylward-obituary?pid=203024885>

**Baker, Vivian (Viv)**, Parksville, BC; University of British Columbia, 1954; psychiatry. Died Nov. 29, 2022, aged 92. Survived by his wife Barbara and 1 child. Read Dr. Baker's obituary: <https://vancouver.sunandprovince.remembering.ca/obituary/vivian-baker-1086766996>

**Berdusco, Arthur S. (Art)**, Orillia, Ont.; University of Western Ontario, 1961; otolaryngology. Died Jan. 29, 2023, aged 86. Survived by his wife Shannon, 4 children and 14 grandchildren. Read Dr. Berdusco's obituary: <https://nationalpost.remembering.ca/obituary/arthur-berdusco-1087090119>

**Bharwani, Noorali**, Calgary; Patna Medical College (India), 1971; general surgery. Died Jan. 27, 2023, aged 77. Survived by his wife Sabiya and 2 children. Read Dr. Bharwani's obituary: <http://gonebutnotforgotten.ca/medicine-hat/2023/02/01/dr-noorali-bharwani/>

**Boggie, Alexander**, Vancouver; University of British Columbia, 1954; family medicine. Died Dec. 28, 2022, aged 99. Survived by 3 children, 6 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Boggie's obituary: <https://vancouver.sunandprovince.remembering.ca/obituary/alexander-boggie-1087013225>

**Bogo, Norman H.**, Toronto; McGill University, 1965; psychiatry. Died Jan. 19, 2023, aged 83. Survived by 2 children and 5 grandchildren. Read Dr. Bogo's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/norman-bogo-obituary?pid=203707768>

**Casey, Ronald J.**, Vancouver; University of Alberta, 1957; general practice. Died May 20, 2022, aged 89. Survived by 1 child and 6 grandchildren. Read Dr. Casey's obituary: <https://edmontonjournal.remembering.ca/obituary/ronald-jack-casey-1085420845>

**Cawkell, William A. (Will)**, Vernon, BC; University of Toronto, 1964; general practice. Died Nov. 19, 2022, aged 84. Survived by his wife Diane, 4 children and 5 grandchildren. Read Dr. Cawkell's obituary: <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/vernon-bc/william-cawkell-11030541>

**Colquhoun, James T. (Jim)**, Thunder Bay, Ont.; University of Toronto, 1951; family medicine; past president, Ontario Medical Association. Died Dec. 9, 2022, aged 95. Survived by 5 children, 12 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Colquhoun's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/chroniclejournal/name/james-colquhoun-obituary?pid=203417839>

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**Dain, Irving**, Hamilton; Queen's University, 1956; psychiatry. Died Apr. 9, 2022, aged 89. Survived by 1 child and 3 grandchildren. Read Dr. Dain's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/thespec/name/irving-dain-obituary?id=40059925>

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**Daniels, Allan W.**, Cranbrook, BC; University of Manitoba, 1967; general practice. Died May 23, 2022, aged 78. Survived by his wife Mary, 3 children, 4 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Read Dr. Daniels' obituary: <https://www.cranbrooktownsman.com/obituaries/dr-allan-w-daniels/>

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**Dei-Baning, Alfred**, Calgary; Pavlov University (Russia), 1968; pediatrics. Died Jan. 12, 2023, aged 82. Survived by his wife Peggy, 1 child and 1 grandchild. Read Dr. Dei-Baning's obituary: <https://www.arbormemorial.ca/mountainview/obituaries/alfred-dei-baning/98138>

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**Drummond, Alasdair R.**, Stettler, Alta.; University of Glasgow (Scotland), 1975; general practice. Died Sept. 17, 2022, aged 71. Survived by his wife Maureen, 2 children and 2 grandchildren. Read Dr. Drummond's obituary: <https://stettlerfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/4591/Dr-Alasdair-Drummond/obituary.html>

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**Fedoroff, John P. (Paul)**, Ottawa; University of Saskatchewan, 1983; forensic psychiatry. Died Jan. 16, 2023, aged 64. Survived by his wife Evelyn and 1 stepdaughter. Read Dr. Fedoroff's obituary: <https://ottawacitizen.remembering.ca/obituary/john-fedoroff-1087105872>

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**Gordon, Robert**, Calgary; University of Glasgow (Scotland), 1958; ophthalmology. Died Jan. 18, 2023, aged 88. Survived by his wife Irene, 3 children and 2 grandchildren. Read Dr. Gordon's obituary: <https://calgaryherald.remembering.ca/obituary/robert-gordon-1087058316>

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**Gough, Hugh M.**, Victoria; Cambridge University (England), 1952; obstetrics and gynecology. Died June 26, 2022, aged 95. Survived by 5 children, 10 grandchildren and his great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Gough's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/timescolonist/name/hugh-gough-obituary?pid=202346091>

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**Greenhow, Paul**, London, Ont.; University of Toronto, 1959; diagnostic radiology. Died Dec. 27, 2022, aged 89. Survived by his wife Patricia, 3 children, 12 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Read Dr. Greenhow's obituary: <https://lfpres.remembering.ca/obituary/paul-greenhow-1086890997>

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**Haust, Heinz**, Toronto; University of Heidelberg (Germany), 1951; general practice. Died Jan. 15, 2023, aged 103. Survived by 2 children, 4 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Haust's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/heinz-haust-obituary?id=39744649>

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**Haust, M. Daria**, Toronto; University of Heidelberg (Germany), 1951; general pathology. Died Jan. 11, 2022, aged 100. Survived by 2 children, 4 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Haust's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/maria-haust-obituary?pid=201200195>

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**Heard, Frederick S. (Stan)**, Victoria; University of Liverpool (England), 1959; general practice. Died Jan. 8, 2023, aged 92. Survived by his wife Stella and 2 children. Read Dr. Heard's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/timescolonist/name/frederick-heard-obituary?id=39781342>

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**Hedges, Donald G. (Doc)**, Burnaby, BC; University of British Columbia, 1983; addiction medicine, sports medicine. Died Dec. 30, 2022, aged 72. Read Dr. Hedges' obituary: <https://vancouverandprovince.remembering.ca/obituary/donald-hedges-1087051250>

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**Huff, Brenda A.**, Courtenay, BC; McMaster University, 2000; family medicine. Died Jan. 22, 2023, aged 61.

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**Iverson, Arthur A.**, Central Butte, Sask.; University of Saskatchewan, 1971; general practice. Died July 4, 2022, aged 83. Survived by his wife Grace, 2 children and 6 grandchildren. Read Dr. Iverson's obituary: <https://thestarphoenix.remembering.ca/obituary/arthur-iverson-1085700710>

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**Kenny, John G.**, Ottawa; University College Cork (Ireland), 1948; dermatology. Died Dec. 8, 2022, aged 98. Survived by 3 children and 4 grandchildren. Read Dr. Kenny's obituary: <https://ottawacitizen.remembering.ca/obituary/john-kenny-1086802728>

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**Leon, Joseph M.**, Welland, Ont.; University of Ottawa, 1956; internal medicine. Died Jan. 2, 2023, aged 92. Survived by his wife Laurice, 8 children, 26 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Read Dr. Leon's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/stcatharinesstandard/name/joseph-leon-obituary?pid=203596105>

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**Létourneau, Jean-Louis**, Trois-Rivières, Que.; Université Laval, 1953; general surgery. Died May 28, 2022, aged 94. Survived by 3 children, 5 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Létourneau's obituary: <https://necrologie.cn2i.ca/dr-jean-louis-letourneau/avis-de-deces/le-nouvelliste/100012476>

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**Lupien, Martial**, Shawinigan, Que.; Université Laval, 1951; general practice. Died Jan. 25, 2023, aged 98. Survived by 5 children, 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Lupien's obituary: <https://www.cooperatifunerairemauricie.com/avis-de-deces/defunt/martial-lupien/7000>

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**Naiberg, David**, Toronto; University of Toronto, 1962; otolaryngology. Died July 21, 2022, aged 84. Survived by 3 children, 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Naiberg's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/sharon-naiberg-obituary?pid=202436197>

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**Nelson, Clifton L.**, Edmonton; University of Alberta, 1954; general practice. Died Nov. 22, 2022, aged 92. Survived by his wife Gerry, 4 children and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Nelson's obituary: <https://edmontonjournal.remembering.ca/obituary/clifton-nelson-1086735688>

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**Newman, Michael J.**, Montréal; Cambridge University (England), 1952; neurology; past president, College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba. Died Nov. 7, 2022, aged 96. Survived by 5 children, 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Newman's obituary: [https://passages.winnipegfreepress.com/passage-details/id-312126/NEWMAN\\_MICHAEL](https://passages.winnipegfreepress.com/passage-details/id-312126/NEWMAN_MICHAEL)

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**O'Shaughnessy, B. Dale**, Saskatoon; University of Saskatchewan, 1961; anatomical pathology. Died Feb. 8, 2023, aged 85. Survived by his wife Lollie, 5 children and 8 grandchildren. Read Dr. O'Shaughnessy's obituary: <https://thestarphoenix.remembering.ca/obituary/brian-o-shaughnessy-1087142120>

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**Owen, J. Grahame**, Oakville, Ont.; University of London (England), 1955; family medicine. Died Dec. 20, 2022, aged 94. Survived by 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Read Dr. Owen's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/john-owen-obituary?pid=203666493>

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**Pohlman, Ernest R.**, Belleville, Ont.; Queen's University, 1958; psychiatry. Died Sept. 8, 2022, aged 87. Survived by his wife Lois, 4 children and 9 grandchildren. Read Dr. Pohlman's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/ernest-pohlman-obituary?id=39942189>

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**Pretty, Harry M.**, Montcalm, Que.; Université de Montréal, 1961; medical oncology. Died Jan. 20, 2023, aged 86.

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**Provencher, Denis J.**, Lac-Delage, Que.; Université Laval, 1972; dermatology. Died Dec. 20, 2022, aged 74. Survived by his wife, Hélène Johnson, 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Read Dr. Provencher's obituary: <https://www.coopfuneraire2rives.com/avis-de-deces/denis-provencher-219851/>

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**Roberge, Roger**, Riverview, NB; Université Laval, 1965; general surgery; past president and senior member, New Brunswick Medical Society. Died Jan. 25, 2023, aged 83. Survived by his wife Mary, 4 children and 6 grandchildren. Read Dr. Roberge's obituary: <https://obituaries.tj.news/obituary/dr-roger-m-roberge-m-d-frcsc-facs-fics-1087060153>

**Roy, Brien R.**, Burnaby, BC; University of Newcastle-Upon-Tyne (England), 1956; general practice. Died Jan. 10, 2023, aged 91. <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/vancouver-bc/brien-roy-11134410>

**Smart, John E.**, Dundas, Ont.; University of Western University, 1960; general practice. Died Jan. 17, 2023, aged 88. Survived by his wife CaroleAnne, 2 children and 4 grandchildren. Read Dr. Smart's obituary: <https://www.kitchingsteepeandludwig.com/obituaries/Dr-John-Edwin-Smart?obId=27087965>

**Smit, David**, Ladysmith, BC; University of Groningen (The Netherlands), 1961; general practice. Died Jan. 9, 2023, aged 87. Read Dr. Smit's obituary: <https://www.todayinbc.com/obituaries/david-smit/>

**Smith, Stanley G.**, London, Ont.; Trinity College Dublin (Ireland), 1960; general practice. Died Dec. 14, 2022, aged 87. Survived by his wife Irene and 2 children. Read Dr. Smith's obituary: <https://lfpres.remembering.ca/obituary/stanley-smith-1086814514>

**Stockdale, Edwin**, Langley, BC; University of London (England), 1957; general practice. Died Sept. 22, 2022, aged 91. Survived by 4 children, 7 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Read Dr. Stockdale's obituary: <https://vancouverandprovince.remembering.ca/obituary/dr-edwin-stockdale-1086369610>

**Tatham, M. Ruth**, Guelph, Ont.; Queen's University, 1954; general practice. Died Aug. 24, 2022, aged 92. Survived by 3 children and 4 grandchildren. Read Dr. Tatham's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/m-tatham-obituary?pid=203048411>

**Touchie, Harold W.**, Fredericton; Dalhousie University, 1967; orthopedic surgery. Died Jan. 13, 2023, aged 82. Survived by 5 children and 8 grandchildren. Read Dr. Touchie's obituary: <https://mcadamsfh.com/tribute/details/1244/Harold-Touchie/obituary.html>

**Trahan, André G.**, Trois-Rivières, Que.; Université Laval, 1965; general practice. Died Jan. 16, 2022, aged 84. Survived by his wife, Denise Lafontaine, 1 child and 2 grandchildren. Read Dr. Trahan's obituary: <https://necrologie.cn2i.ca/dr-andre-g-trahan/avis-de-deces/le-nouvelliste/100012283>

**Trainor, Charles S.**, Charlottetown; Dalhousie University, 1970; family medicine. Died Jan. 29, 2023, aged 79. Survived by his wife Carolyn, 2 children and 2 grandchildren. <https://www.belvederefh.com/obituary/DrCharles-Trainor>

**Ulan, Orest A.**, Edmonton; University of Alberta, 1957; pediatrics. Died Jan. 20, 2023, aged 89. Survived by 5 children and 1 grandchild. Read Dr. Ulan's obituary: <https://www.arbormemorial.ca/westlawn/obituaries/orest-alexander-ulan-md/98846>

**Villeneuve, Régis**, Val-d'Or, Que.; Université Laval, 1981; family medicine. Died Jan. 5, 2023, aged 64. Survived by his wife, Lynda Marcoux, 2 children and 1 grandchild. Read Dr. Villeneuve's obituary: <https://www.residence-funeraire.coop/avis-de-deces/regis-villeneuve-219386/>

**Warrington, Richard J.**, Winnipeg; University of London (England), 1967; clinical immunology and allergy. Died Dec. 23, 2022, aged 79. Survived by his wife Olivia, 3 children, 2 stepchildren, 1 grandchild and 1 step-grandchild. Read Dr. Warrington's obituary: [https://passages.winnipegfreepress.com/passage-details/id-313226/WARRINGTON\\_DR.%20RICHARD](https://passages.winnipegfreepress.com/passage-details/id-313226/WARRINGTON_DR.%20RICHARD)

**Williams, John T.**, Mount Pearl, Nfld.; Dalhousie University, 1973; anesthesiology. Died Dec. 19, 2022, aged 75. Survived by his wife Margaret, 3 children and 4 grandchildren. Read Dr. Williams' obituary: <https://www.saltwire.com/halifax/obituaries/dr-john-tudor-leonard-williams-82011/>

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**Wisniowski, Leo E.**, Halifax; Dalhousie University, 1991; family medicine. Died Jan. 7, 2023, aged 57. Survived by 5 children, his partner Monica, and the mothers of his children, Marissa Espinet-Bossy and Alison Hewey. Read Dr. Wisniowski's obituary: <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/halifax-ns/leon-wisniowski-11101216>

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**Wojakowski, Krystyna H.**, London, Ont.; Krakowska Academy (Poland), 1960; adolescent and child psychiatry. Died Jan. 2, 2023, aged 86. Survived by her husband, Dr. Bruce Murray, and 1 child. Read Dr. Wojakowski's obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/ca/obituaries/theglobeandmail/name/krystyna-wojakowski-obituary?pid=203599948>

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**Yunker, Warren K.**, Calgary; University of Alberta, 2005; otolaryngology. Died Nov. 27, 2022, aged 46. Survived by his wife, Dr. Rebecca Sparkes, and 2 children. Read Dr. Yunker's obituary: <https://mhfh.com/tribute/details/38517/Dr-Warren-Yunker/obituary.html>