



**Lakeridge
Health**

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Dear Dr. _____

After a thorough review and careful consideration, the R.S. McLaughlin Durham Regional Cancer Centre has made the difficult decision to close the Colorectal Diagnostic Assessment Program. Lakeridge Health will continue to provide diagnostic and surgical services for patients with suspected or confirmed colorectal cancers including those with positive FIT tests requiring colonoscopy.

Included with this letter is a [list of accepting gastroenterologists and surgeons](#) according to geographic boundaries.

More information for patients can be found on the

1. Lakeridge Health website found at www.lakeridgehealth.on.ca and search 'colorectal'
2. Colorectal Cancer Canada website found at www.colorectalcancercanada.com

Sincerely,

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