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To My Dear Patients,

It's been a long time since my wife, Bonnie, and I rolled into Fargo in January of 1981. We were eager to start up our careers, me in dentistry and she in nursing.

The F-M area is quite a drive from the Twin Cities but we fit nicely into a welcoming community. Over the past 37 years we grew professionally, raised a family, and have enjoyed our lives here very much. A big part of that has been making many, many friends in our respective jobs. We're very grateful for the many relationships we've made with staff and patients. We couldn't have done it without all of you.

When I turn my practice over to Dr. Austin Vetter on March 30, I know that all the people that have meant so much to us will be in good hands. Dr. Vetter is from Minot and a graduate of NDSU. His wife, Katie, is also a nurse and they have two lovely daughters, Grace and Olivia.

If you should happen to see us around the old office sometime, don't be surprised as Bonnie and I will be Dr. Vetter's patients, too!

Thanks again to all! It's been a good run!  
Dr. Jay and Bonnie Erickson  
March, 2018

Please come to our **"HELLO Austin/GOODBYE Jay" Open House**

When: Friday April 6th 4:00-7:00. Snacks and drinks.

Location: Our office, 1331 32nd Ave So Fargo ND

Dr. Austin Vetter grew up in Minot, ND where he attended Bishop Ryan High School. He then attended NDSU, where he was recruited by the Bison football program and played tight-end for two seasons. While Dr. Vetter was at NDSU he met his future wife Katie (Birkel) Vetter. Katie played NDSU Bison women's basketball from 2008-2013 where she was a multi-year captain. They are both big NDSU fans and are excited to continue supporting the Bison.

After graduation, the Vettters moved to Omaha, NE where Dr. Vetter attended Creighton University School of Dentistry. Katie also attended Creighton for an accelerated nursing program. While in Nebraska they were blessed with two beautiful daughters: Grace and Olivia. The Vettters were excited to find an opportunity to move back to Fargo when they met Dr. Jay Erickson. Dr. Vetter has found a valuable mentor in Dr. Erickson and is honored to be taking care of his patients.

When he is not in the dental office, Dr. Vetter enjoys spending time with his family and studying technology to learn more about the many advancements it is bringing to dentistry and the medical field. He is very excited to raise his girls to be Bison fans.

For more information about the dental practice, go to our interim website:

<http://jayericksondental.com>

