

29 Lewis Avenue, Great Barrington, MA 01230

December 18, 2023

Dear Fairview Family:

I am writing to let you know I have decided to retire from Berkshire Health Systems on January 15, 2024. My career began on October 4, 1976, at the former Hillcrest Hospital and will conclude at Fairview Hospital after 47+ years of service. I have had the privilege and good fortune to work at two hospitals and as part of a health system that shared similar approaches to employee engagement and excellence in patient care for the communities we served. During my tenure, both hospitals and Berkshire Health Systems have all been blessed with exceptional leadership, medical staffs and employees that embraced a culture of caring for one another, and collaboratively focused on a model of patient centered care.

To you, our Fairview Family, please accept my sincere appreciation and gratitude for your commitment, your compassion, and your ability to work as a team to exceed the expectations of our patients and their families. As I have shared with you all for many years at our management meetings and employee forums, the work you do has purpose, it is worthwhile, and each and every one of you contribute to the success that Fairview and Berkshire Health Systems has enjoyed for many years.

Please know I will cherish the fond memories and the many relationships that have been forged over the last 20 years. There is much to be thankful for and I am confident that Fairview Hospital and Berkshire Health Systems will continue in their collective mission in improving the health and wellbeing of the community we care for.

With sincere appreciation,

Anthony Rinaldi Jr.

Executive Vice President Fairview Hospital