

Decades of Caring for Patients

They have spent decades caring for patients. Recently, colleagues came together to show that we care for them too. Dr. David Atack and Dr. Timothy McKibbin are both retiring after long careers at Carleton Place & District Memorial Hospital (CPDMH). And they will be missed.

Dr. Atack has been a consulting neurologist in both Almonte and Carleton Place for more than 40 years. "He is a great colleague who helped many patients in our area over the years," notes Dr. Scott Higham, CPDMH's Chief of Staff. "He did one of the most thorough consults that we as family doctors have ever received from any specialist."

Dr. McKibbin has served local patients for many years as a consulting cardiologist. "Dr. McKibbin also helped many people in our area. His consults were very practical, and he also has a great sense of humour," adds Dr. Higham.

The nurses at CPDMH agree. "Both doctors were very nice to work with and patients loved them. They provided a very valuable service in our community. And we'll miss Dr. Atak's humour too. He started each day off with a joke!"

Thankfully, both doctors have ensured that cardiology and neurology services will continue in Carleton Place. They have recruited excellent physicians to (try to!) replace them. Many thanks from everyone at CPDMH for your many years of caring. Happy retirement!



Colleagues toasted Dr. Atack and Dr. McKibbin at a special celebration at Heirlooms in Almonte.