

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN**

*Regents Communication*

**ACTION REQUEST**

**Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement**

**Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir**

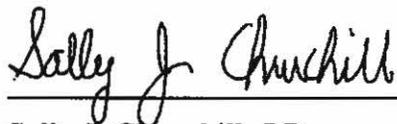
**Namita Sachdev, M.D.**, clinical assistant professor of internal medicine and clinical assistant professor of pediatrics in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on December 21, 2018.

Dr. Sachdev received her B.S.E. and M.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1985 and 1989, respectively. She completed a combined internal medicine and pediatrics residency program (1989-93) and served as a resident chief in the Department of Pediatrics (1993-94) at the University of Michigan. She joined the University of Michigan faculty as clinical instructor in 1994, and was promoted to clinical assistant professor in 2001.

Dr. Sachdev was instrumental in establishing the first combined medicine/pediatrics practice at the University of Michigan Northeast Health Center in 1994. The practice served as a model for the outpatient training of resident physicians in the combined medicine/pediatrics program with clinical faculty trained in both internal medicine and pediatrics. As the associate program director of the Combined Medicine/Pediatrics Residency Program, she further developed innovative methods for training resident physicians in the ambulatory setting and in chronic disease management. A talented teacher and dedicated mentor, Dr. Sachdev played an active role in the development of medical students, residents, and clinical practice faculty. She was a superb clinician in her adult medicine and pediatrics practice at the East Ann Arbor Health Center. She received a number of awards for her teaching, including the Lotus Award from the United Asian American Student Association (2000), the John G. Frohna Award for Outstanding Resident Teaching in Medicine-Pediatrics from the University of Michigan (2011), and the Brendan P. Kelly M.D. Award from the Medicine-Pediatrics Program Directors Association (2018).

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Namita Sachdev, clinical assistant professor emerita of internal medicine.**

**Requested by:**



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**Sally J. Churchill, J.D.**  
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