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Dear Patient:

Shelter-in-place ordinances are gradually being lifted by county and state officials, and we are now resuming in-person visits in our office. We are also still offering telemedicine appointments for any patient who prefers that convenient option, and we will also use telemedicine to supplement our in-person visits if more discussion time is needed.

As we start seeing patients in our office again, we are taking special precautions to maximize your safety during this COVID pandemic. This includes thorough disinfection of our waiting room and exam rooms before and after each patient visit. We require all patients and staff to have temperature checks and wash hands or use hand sanitizer upon arrival, and to wear masks without valves at all times while in our office. We are screening all patients for COVID symptoms prior to arrival and ask that you not come to an appointment if you have fever, cough, shortness of breath, or other COVID symptoms which our staff will review with you. We are minimizing the number of patients in our waiting room. Please do not bring visitors to your appointment, except in the case of minors or persons requiring a caretaker's assistance.

We hope you and your family are well and we look forward to seeing you in our office.

Best wishes for good health,

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