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In Memoriam: Dr. Robert Lorne Brown

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The Faculty of Medicine is saddened to hear of the passing of retired faculty member and family physician, Dr. Robert Lorne Brown, on March 27, at the age of 86.

Dr. Brown attended Dalhousie Medical School, graduating in 1963. He practiced as a family physician in Halifax for 52 years, showing great compassion and dedication to his patients and advocating for accessible health care for all. As a faculty member at Dalhousie, he mentored countless students and family medicine residents during his career.

Dr. Brown was Chief of Staff at what was the old Civic Hospital on University Ave., and a member of the Hospital Advisory Boards for the Civic Hospital, the Halifax Infirmary, and the Victoria General Hospital. He was also chair of Birthright, an organization devoted to supporting pregnant women in need, for many years. He received an honourary life-time membership with the Canadian Medical Association in 2006, for his distinguished career.

Dr. Brown was an exceptional physician, devoted to all those he served. He will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Read his full obituary.