

June 5, 2024

RE: **UPDATED IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING CLOSURE OF CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND AFFILIATED BUSINESSES**

Dear Patient:

This is an update to the notice that was provided on May 8, 2024 to individuals who have been identified as having records and/or genetic material in the custody of Dr. Jaime Vasquez, the Center for Reproductive Health (“CRH”), and/or one of its affiliated businesses in Nashville, Tennessee, that can be accessed through the Receiver’s designated case website: <https://case.stretto.com/ncrh> and scrolling to Key Documents and clicking on the link for Receiver’s Notice Regarding Closure of Center for Reproductive Health and Affiliated Businesses as of May 8, 2024. You may also request a copy of the May 8, 2024 Notice by emailing CRH@resolutecommercial.com.

The Receiver continues to work with another healthcare provider to ensure that all embryos, eggs, and sperm samples are preserved and protected and storage tanks are monitored and serviced regularly. We understand that patients want their genetic material transferred as soon as possible, but there is a multi-step process the Receiver must follow to ensure the safe and accurate transfer of all genetic material. The first step is to validate the inventory of genetic materials in storage and the medical records associated with those materials. The records from CRH had inconsistencies so the inventory is necessary to ensure each patient receives the correct specimens. There are hundreds of specimens, so doing an inventory will take time. Any physical inventory process will maintain the cryogenic preservation of materials and will not test viability of any specimens.

The Receiver continues to receive and document requests for transfers of genetic material, which can be made by email at CRH-records@crhnashville.com with your full name, date of birth, and contact information for your preferred clinic/facility. These requests will be processed as quickly as possible **after** the inventory is completed, and the Receiver has completed engagement of the medical professionals who will handle the transfer requests. The Court will also need to approve an agreement between the Receiver and the medical professionals. The Receiver is working toward having genetic materials transferred to the new maintenance and long-term storage provider by the end of June 2024 if possible.

The Receiver is also continuing to work on fulfilling patients’ medical records requests. According to the Receiver’s records, all such emailed requests received through June 3, 2024 have been acknowledged and are being processed if the Receiver has all of the required information to process the request. If you have not submitted a records request, or if you have submitted a request prior to the date above and your request has not been acknowledged or fulfilled after you have sent a signed release, please email your request to CRH-records@crhnashville.com with your full name, date of birth, contact information for the recipient of records, and details of what you are

requesting. You will need to sign a medical authorization / release that will be provided upon receipt of your request.

Be further advised that on or about May 28, 2024, CRH and its affiliated businesses were placed into Chapter 11 bankruptcies by their former principal Dr. Jaime M. Vasquez, M.D.. The Receiver has filed paperwork with the Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Tennessee (“Bankruptcy Court”) contesting the bankruptcy filings. For the time being an agreement has been reached between the Receiver and CRH and its affiliates for the Receiver to remain in possession of their assets, including all genetic material, pending further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

If you are concerned that CRH may have violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with a decision that was made about access to your health information or in response to a request you made to amend or restrict the use or disclosure of your health information or to have us communicate with you by alternative means or at alternative locations, you may contact the Receiver’s Interim Privacy Officer:

Center for Reproductive Health, P.C., et al., Receivership Estate
Interim Privacy Officer
c/o Resolute
6750 E. Camelback Road, Suite 103
Scottsdale, AZ 85254
Telephone: 844-713-1716 Email: CRH@resolutecommercial.com

You may also submit a written complaint to the Office of Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Ave., S.W., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201. The Receiver supports your right to the privacy of your health information. There will be no retaliation for filing a complaint with either the Receiver’s Interim Privacy Officer or the Office of Civil Rights.

We understand that this has been a distressing process, and we appreciate your patience as we continue to work to address patients’ immediate needs.

Sincerely,



Jeremiah Foster

Receiver for CRH and Affiliated Entities