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# INTEGRATED DERMATOLOGY

March 13, 2019



Dear [REDACTED]

We regret to inform you that on February 27, 2019, Integrated Dermatology discovered a breach of your protected health information. Dr. Brown took a copy of your medical chart home with him in-order to call you regarding clinical care. Unfortunately, Dr. Browns car was broken into and his briefcase containing your medical records was stolen.

The types of unsecured protected health information involved include your name, address, phone number, social security number, health insurance card and driver's license.

We have reported the incident to the Boston police. In addition, we have not received any indication that the information has been used by an unauthorized individual.

To help protect your identity we advise you to take the following steps:

Call the toll-free numbers of any of the three major credit bureaus (below) to place a fraud alert on your credit report. This can help prevent an identity thief from opening additional accounts in your name. As soon as the credit bureau confirms your fraud alert, the other two credit bureaus will automatically be notified to place alerts on your credit report, and all three bureaus will provide you a copy of your credit report free of charge.

**Equifax:** (888)766-0008; [www.fraudalerts.equifax.com](http://www.fraudalerts.equifax.com). General: (800) 685-1111, [www.equifax.com](http://www.equifax.com), P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30374-0241.

**Experian:** (888) 397-3742; <https://www.experian.com/fraud/center.html>; [www.experian.com](http://www.experian.com); 475 Anton Blvd., Costa Mesa, CA 92626.

**TransUnion:** (800) 680-7289; <http://www.transunion.com/personal-credit/credit-disputes/fraud-alerts.page>; TransUnion Fraud Victim Assistance Department, P.O. Box 2000, Chester, PA 19022-2000.

Order your credit reports. By establishing a fraud alert, you will receive a follow-up letter that will explain how you can receive a free copy of your credit report. When you receive your credit report, examine it closely and look for signs of fraud, such as credit accounts that are not yours.

Continue to monitor your credit reports. Even though a fraud alert has been placed on your account, you should continue to monitor your credit reports to ensure an imposter has not opened an account with your personal information.

We are offering a complimentary two-year membership of Experian's® IdentityWorks<sup>SM</sup>. This product provides you with superior identity detection and resolution of identity theft. To activate your membership and start monitoring your personal information please follow the steps below: Ensure that you enroll by: **6/30/2019**, (Your code will not work after this date.) **Visit** the Experian Identity Works website to enroll: <https://www.experianidworks.com/3bplus>, Provide your **activation code:** [REDACTED]

If you have questions about the product, need assistance with identity restoration or would like an alternative to enrolling in Experian IdentityWorks online, please contact Experian's customer care team 877-890-9332. Be prepared to provide **engagement number** [REDACTED]

We sincerely apologize for this incident and regret any inconvenience it may cause you. Should you have questions or concerns regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Integrated Dermatology at 561-314-2000 X1075, or [esade@mydermgroup.com](mailto:esade@mydermgroup.com).

Sincerely,

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