



# ASCENTIST

**EAR, NOSE & THROAT**

Dear Patient,

Over the last 35 years I have had the privilege of taking care of your most precious asset: your health. I have known many of you for years, often getting to know your family and friends as well. Whether it was cleaning wax from your ears or performing surgery, I have enjoyed getting to know each and every one of you. It is, therefore, with some degree of sadness that I have decided to hang up my headlight and retire on June 24, 2021.

Rest assured that the other fine doctors and nurses at Ascentist are more than qualified to take care of your ear, nose, and throat needs. I will be happy to assist you in transferring your care to one of our fine providers.

As for me, I will finally have time to work on my golf game, read the mountains of books on my nightstand, travel, and spend more time with each of my six granddaughters. I am fortunate to have my wife of 32 years, Cathy, with me as we explore the opportunities that retirement offers.

It has been a great pleasure being a part of your lives. Thank you for your trust in me.

Sincerely yours,

Mark Maslan M.D.

Doug Cowan, MD

CEO, Ascentist Physicians Group