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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### NORTH MEDICAL, P.C. ANNOUNCES UNTIMELY DEATH OF DR. STEPHEN GANDERSON

SYRACUSE, N.Y.—September 13, 2010—Dr. A. John Merola, President and CEO of North Medical, P.C. (NMPC), is saddened to announce that Stephen Ganderson, MD, a physician with The Women’s Place in Liverpool, passed away unexpectedly.

“Stephen Ganderson was a dedicated, competent caring physician in the CNY community for 30 years,” said friend and colleague, Michael Cummings, MD. “He was honest, reliable, kind, and loved by his patients and associates. His untimely death leaves us feeling lost and very sad.”

The Women’s Place is reaching out to Dr. Ganderson’s patients to transition them to a colleague within the practice. The continued care for patients is a priority and the staff is working to minimize any impact this unfortunate event may have on them.

For additional information, or to address concerns, patients may call The Women’s Place at 315-452-2828.

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