

In Memoriam: Dr. Alex Richman

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It is with great sadness that we share the news that Dr. Alex Richman, former Dalhousie Medical School faculty member, passed away at home in Halifax on Tuesday, January 29, 2019 at the age of 90.

Born in Winnipeg, Dr. Richman attended medical school at the University of Manitoba before moving on to McGill University in Montreal for training in psychiatry. After receiving a Masters Degree in Public Health from Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland, he moved around the world, practicing in Vancouver; Kingston, Jamaica; Geneva, Switzerland; New York City; Halifax; and Ottawa.

While at Dalhousie University, Dr. Richman held appointments in the Departments of Psychiatry and Community Health & Epidemiology. He conducted academic research around the planning and evaluation of mental health services, and published numerous peer-reviewed papers applying risk management and epidemiological techniques to mental health services. At the time of his death, he was an adjunct professor in Dalhousie's School of Business Administration. Dr. Richman is survived by his wife of 66 years, Shifra, and his many children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Terry Fox Research Institute or a charity of your choice.

Link to Chronicle Herald obituary: <https://www.thechronicleherald.ca/obituaries/dr-alex-richman-15124/>