Dear Dr La Croix

"Dogs leave their paw prints in our hearts"

And you will always be in my heart. From the first day I met you, I knew right away Murray was in great hands. You always spent lots of time with us, and that was important to us.
You knew I wouldn't give up on Murray and you encouraged me every step of the way.
It was a long road with many ups and downs. When I looked at you, you always had a smile, which gave me the strength to go through what we went through with Murray. You've told me later you wanted to give up at times. But I didn't see that, and I am grateful you didn't.
You have the greatest staff and you all treated Murray with love and compassion. I was truly blessed to have you all looking out for Murray. At times after Murray's surgery you would hold his face in your hands and sometimes kiss his little head. I just wanted to hug and kiss you.
I know in my heart that Murray is at peace now I never wanted to let him go it was hardest thing I ever had to do, can't begin to tell you how much I miss him.
I will never forget you and I am grateful we had you.
And extremely touched and lucky you and Dr Palladino were with us when we had to say goodbye to him.
I know how hard Dr. Palladino and his staff worked on Murray to get him well and I love him for that even though the end result wasn't good.
Thanks to you all for never giving up on Murray and me.
Murray will be missed by all; everyone that knew him loved him.
You called him your "Special dog" and he was to all!
His mom and dad will miss him forever!
"VMCLI will always be in our hearts"

Love Karen & Bill xo
Gaddy