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Mike King, chief executive officer of Camden Clark Medical Center, left, presents a plaque to Dr. David Avington upon his retirement. Avington has practiced with the Parkersburg Cardiology Associates.

Avington to retire after 38 years

PARKERSBURG — Dr. M. David Avington, a board-certified doctor in internal medicine and cardiovascular disease with Parkersburg Cardiology Associates and a native of Parkersburg, will retire after 38 years.

Avington graduated from Parkersburg Catholic High School, Wheeling Jesuit University and Georgetown

University Medical School. He joined Parkersburg Cardiology Associates in 1973 after completing his internship, residency and fellowship in cardiology at the University of Kentucky Medical Center.

He has been instrumental in the success and growth of Parkersburg Cardiology Associates and has served on many hospital commit-

tees and boards including the Board of Trustees at the former St. Joseph's Hospital from 1990-1996 where he was chairman from 1995-1996. Avington has also been an assistant tennis coach at Parkersburg Catholic High school since 1992 and volunteers at the Good Samaritan Clinic.

He is a member of the American College of Cardi-

ology, having served as the Governor for the West Virginia Chapter, the American Heart Association and the West Virginia Medical Association. Avington and his wife Dee have two daughters, Carla and Bethany.

Camden Clark Medical Center honored Avington at a ceremony Oct. 20 at the St. Joseph's Campus.