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RE: Letter of Interest: Health Home Application to Serve Children

Dear Ms. Astin,

On behalf of FEGS Health & Human Services, please accept this letter as an indication of our interest to submit a Health Home application to Serve Children. We understand that the submission of this Letter of Interest is optional, and the information contained herein is not binding and does not create an obligation to submit a Health Home Application to Serve Children.

To the extent FEGS Health & Human Services elects to submit a Health Home Application to Serve Children, we anticipate it would reflect the following governance structure.

- Our organization is a designated Health Home (i.e., operating a Lead Health Home) and our application to serve children would not include a change in our governance structure.
- Our organization is a designated Health Home and our application to serve children would reflect a change in our governance structure to better serve children.
- ☐ Our organization is seeking a new Health Home Designation

Our organization anticipates it would serve the following regions: Nassau and Suffolk Counties on Long Island. We would also like to keep you apprised of preliminary discussions between FEGS and Hudson River Health Care (Community Health Care Collaborative) regarding a collaboration to develop a pediatric health home that would serve Long Island (Nassau and Suffolk Counties). As we continue our discussions, we welcome your feedback and guidance.

Sincerely,

Amy Doran

Senior Vice President

Behavioral & Community Health

cc: Kristin Woodlock, COO