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Dear Senator,

On behalf of the Nursing Community coalition, we look forward to collaborating with you in the 115th Congress. The Nursing Community includes 64 national professional nursing associations that build

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