



April 15, 2024

Representative Christine Morse  
Chair of the House Appropriations Subcommittee Health and Human Services Department  
P.O. Box 30014  
Lansing, MI 48909

Dear Representative Morse:

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Your help is needed to make these increases a reality.

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Co-President

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Chair of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services Department  
P.O. Box 30036  
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