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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Enhancing the Delivery of Virtual Education in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Cedars-Sinai, located at 8700 Beverly Blvd, TSB 8711, Los Angeles, CA 90048.

The funding would be used to allow Cedars-Sinai –a regional referral center for patients in areas such as cancer care, transplant, neurosurgery, orthopedics, and cardiology – to purchase simulation equipment upgrades to expand the Simulation Center at Cedars-Sinai main campus. There is an increasing need to be able manage patients closer to their home both before and after treatment. This funding will allow Cedars-Sinai to improve patient outcomes by providing advanced training to medical professionals who will be able to treat patients with complex medical issues closer to the patient’s home without the patient having to travel. There is a well-established correlation between patient outcomes and their proximity to their support network before and after treatment. Once properly validated Cedars-Sinai will be able to bring the enormous breadth of the main campus’s expertise to other facilities.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress