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To: BECK Douglas * DCBS
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Subject: End-Stage Renal Disease payment responsibility

Dear Mr. Beck, Mr. Fordham, and Mrs. Cali:

My name is Kyle Sheeley and I am the Facility Administrator for McMinnville DaVita Dialysis. It has come to my attention that certain health plans are adopting plan language that shifts significant payment responsibility from the plan to those members diagnosed with End-Stage Renal Disease. This plan will have a huge negative effect on patients. This will single out patients, creating a discriminating balance toward ESRD patients. The financial burden to the patient would be overwhelming and could also force additional financial expense from Medicare and OOP.

Please consider removing them from the market in advance of open enrollment.

Sincerely Concerned,

Kyle Sheeley

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