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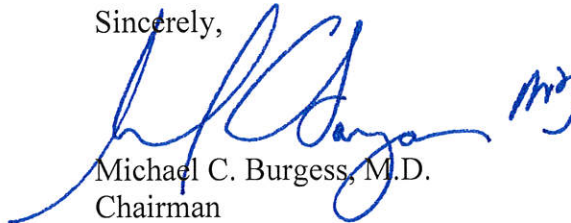
Dear Mr. Schmidt:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Health on September 5, 2018, to testify at the hearing entitled "Opportunities to Improve Health Care."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on October 3, 2018. Your responses should be mailed to Dan Butler, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to dan.butler@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Burgess", with a small "MB" monogram to the right.

Michael C. Burgess, M.D.
Chairman
Subcommittee on Health

cc: The Honorable Gene Green, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Health

Attachment

Attachment — Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Markwayne Mullin

1. What protections do patients currently have when Medicaid Fraud Control units detect abuse in a non-institutional setting?
 - a. Are there any other settings that Medicaid Fraud Control Units are prohibited from addressing patient abuse?
 - b. Can Medicaid Fraud Control Units detect, investigate and prosecute fraud in Indian Health Service Facilities?
 - c. Can Medicaid Fraud Control Units pursue cases of patient abuse in IHS facilities?
 - d. Does the jurisdiction of the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit change dependent upon if the hospital is a direct service hospital versus a 638 contract hospital?
 - e. Do you believe that MFCU's should be able to investigate federally run direct service facilities?
 - f. Do you believe that MFCU's should be able to investigate 638 contract facilities?