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Dr. Miriam Grossman, M.D. Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist 707 East Main Street Middletown, NY 10940

Dear Dr. Grossman:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Health on Wednesday, June 14, 2023, to testify at the hearing entitled "Examining Proposals that Provide Access to Care for Patients and Support Research for Rare Diseases."

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. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions and requests with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Friday, July 21, 2023. Your responses should be mailed to Jolie Brochin, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to Jolie.Brochin@mail.house.gov.

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

Sincerely,

Brett Guthrie

Chair

Subcommittee on Health

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cc: Anna Eshoo, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Health

[Dr. Grossman did not answer submitted questions for the record by the time of publication. Replies received after publication will be retained in committee files and made available at https://docs.house.gov/Committee/Calendar/ByEvent.aspx?EventID=116121.]

## The Honorable Earl L. "Buddy" Carter

1. Dr. Grossman – Maternal Mental Health conditions are the second leading cause of death in Georgia, but the leading cause of maternal mortality in the United States. It is estimated that when left untreated these conditions cost the state of Georgia over \$600 million each year and impact over 25,000 families. MMRC's have identified maternal mental health conditions as the second leading cause of death in Georgia. With provider shortages, what are innovative ways to help moms get the support they need when suffering from a maternal mental health condition to prevent tragic outcomes? How do we ensure that providers are properly trained to screen and treat maternal mental health conditions?