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To,

Dated: 18th October 2023

The Child Vikas Foundation

Bengaluru,

Subject: Information regarding patient: Baby. Siddharth's (Hospital No: 4962459)

Patient Details: Baby Siddharth, 9-months-old baby boy was admitted on 24/09/2023 to our hospital on emergency basis with complications of Malnutrition and Persistent Pneumonia. The baby was diagnosed with Achondroplasia, and he was initially treated in Paediatric ICU. Presently the baby is treated in Paediatric ITU and requires continuous oxygen support, antibiotics and HFNC support for the management of his illness. According to the treating team, the baby requires prolonged hospital care. The estimated cost of total medical expenditure is 5-6 lakhs. Presently the bill has come to 4 lakhs and the parents have managed to pay 3.5 lakhs. There are chances of ICU care too.

Family Details: The patient's family hails from Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu and they consists of 7 members. The child's father is the primary source of income, and he is an auto driver. He earns Rs. 450/day if he goes for work. Presently the child's father stays in the hospital for the baby's care, and he is unable to go for work. The mother is a homemaker, and they also have two elder daughters. A few years back they lost their eldest son in an accident and still the parents are in grief. The current admission to our hospital was unexpected and on an emergency basis and they were referred to our hospital from their hometown for further care.

The parents have utilized their savings and at present they have taken a loan to cover the medical expenses of the baby. They are emotionally and financially exhausted and have expressed financial constraints. But they are willing and cooperative towards the treatment of the baby and will try their best for the baby.

They are genuine and considering the above, I kindly request your help towards supporting Baby. Siddharth's treatment.

Thanking you in advance,

Yours Sincere

Ms. Jisha Sara Jose

Medico Social Worker

Forwarded Through,

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\*Note: This letter is issued to a Philanthropic Organization for monetary support towards patient's treatment. Please consider confidentiality as patient is a child.