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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
Services, Education, and Related Agencies
United States House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
Services, Education, and Related Agencies
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Dear Chairman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Hepatitis B Foundation's Center of Public Health Excellence in the upcoming Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this community project is the Hepatitis B Foundation, located at 3805 Old Easton Road, Doylestown, PA 18902. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will allow the Foundation to provide expert resources, training, and technical assistance on how to prevent, treat, and control hepatitis B to state and local health departments, social service organizations, and community health providers. Furthermore, The Center will build public health infrastructure to decrease health disparities and improve health access and outcomes in underserved, disparately impacted communities of color, working toward the ultimate goal of hepatitis B elimination.

I certify that neither my immediate family nor I have any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your consideration and attention to this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brian Fitzpatrick".

Brian Fitzpatrick
Member of Congress