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Dear << Name 1>>

Notice of Data Security Incident

We are writing to inform you of a data security incident involving Mercy Grace that may have resulted in the unauthorized access to some of your personal information. Mercy Grace takes the security of your personal information very seriously, and we sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this incident may cause. This letter contains information about the incident and steps you can take to protect your information.

What Happened:

Sometime in December 2020, Mercy Grace became aware of a potential business email compromise in connection with a fraudulent wire transfer in December 2020. We immediately engaged a third-party professional cybersecurity forensics team to conduct a thorough investigation into our entire email tenant. Through this investigation, Mercy Grace confirmed that an unknown party did gain unauthorized access to two Mercy Grace employees' email accounts.

What Information Was Involved:

Based on the investigation, it appears that some of your personal information was contained in the employee compromised email accounts, including your name, social security number, drivers license and/or state identification number, financial account information, and/or limited health information. While we do not have any evidence of the misuse of your information, we are nonetheless notifying you out of an abundance of caution and encourage you to take full advantage of the services offered.

What We Are Doing and What You Can Do:

Mercy Grace takes the protection and proper use of your information very seriously. Ensuring the safety of your data is of the utmost importance to us, and we sincerely regret any inconvenience or concern that this may cause. We take the security of all information in our control very seriously, and are taking steps to prevent a similar event from occurring in the future, including but not limited to: continuing to enhance security measures and providing cyber security training for our staff; and implementing Multi Factor Authentication.

In light of this incident, we have secured the services of Cyberscout to provide Single Bureau Credit Monitoring services at no cost to you. These services provide you with alerts for twelve months from the date of enrollment when changes occur to your Experian credit file. This notification is sent to you the same day that the change or update takes place with the bureau.

How Do I Enroll For The Free Services:

To enroll in Credit Monitoring services at no charge, please log on to https://www.myidmanager.com and follow the instructions provided. When prompted please provide the following unique code to receive services: CODE HERE.> In order for you to receive the monitoring services described above, you must enroll within 90 days from the date of this letter.

For More Information:

We sincerely regret any inconvenience that this matter may cause you and remain dedicated to maintaining the security and protection of your information. We encourage you to remain vigilant and review the enclosed addendum outlining additional steps you can take to protect your personal information. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to call 1-800-405-6108, Monday – Friday, 5:00 am to 5:00 pm, Mountain Standard Time, for 90 days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

Lanre Ijaola

Lanre Ijaola MD, FAAP President

^{*} Services marked with an "*" require an internet connection and e-mail account and may not be available to minors under the age of 18 years of age.

Please note that when signing up for monitoring services, you may be asked to verify personal information for your own protection to confirm your identity.

Additional Important Information

<u>For residents of Hawaii, Michigan, Missouri, Virginia, Vermont, and North Carolina:</u> It is recommended by state law that you remain vigilant for incidents of fraud and identity theft by reviewing credit card account statements and monitoring your credit report for unauthorized activity.

For residents of Illinois, Iowa, Maryland, Missouri, North Carolina, Oregon, and West Virginia:

It is required by state laws to inform you that you may obtain a copy of your credit report, free of charge, whether or not you suspect any unauthorized activity on your account. You may obtain a free copy of your credit report from each of the three nationwide credit reporting agencies. To order your free credit report, please visit www.annualcreditreport.com, or call toll-free at 1-877-322-8228. You can also order your annual free credit report by mailing a completed Annual Credit Report Request Form (available at https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/0155-free-credit-reports) to: Annual Credit Report Request Service, P.O. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA, 30348-5281.

For residents of *Iowa*:

State law advises you to report any suspected identity theft to law enforcement or to the Attorney General.

For residents of *Oregon*:

State laws advise you to report any suspected identity theft to law enforcement, including the Attorney General, and the Federal Trade Commission.

For residents of Arizona, Colorado, Maryland, Rhode Island, Illinois, New York, and North Carolina:

You can obtain information from the Offices of the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission about fraud alerts, security freezes, and steps you can take toward preventing identity theft.

Maryland Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division 200, St. Paul Place Baltimore, MD 21202 1-888-743-0023 www.oag.state.md.us

Rhode Island Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection 150 South Main Street, Providence RI 02903 1-401-274-4400 www.riag.ri.gov

North Carolina Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division, 9001 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-9001 1-877-566-7226 www.ncdoj.com

Federal Trade Commission Consumer Response Center, 600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, DC 20580 1-877-IDTHEFT (438-4338) www.ftc.gov/idtheft

New York Office of Attorney General Consumer Frauds & Protection, The Capitol Albany, NY 12224 1-800-771-7755 https://ag.ny.gov/consumer-frauds/identity-theft

Colorado Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection 1300 Broadway, 9th Floor, Denver, CO 80203 1-720-508-6000 www.coag.gov

Arizona Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section, 2005 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004 1-602-542-5025

Illinois Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division 100 W Randolph St., Chicago, IL 60601 1-800-243-0618 www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov

For residents of *Massachusetts***:** It is required by state law that you are informed of your right to obtain a police report if you are a victim of identity theft

For residents of all states:

Fraud Alerts: You can place fraud alerts with the three credit bureaus by phone and online with Equifax (https://assets.equifax.com/assets/personal/Fraud_Alert_Request_Form.pdf); TransUnion (https://www.transunion.com/fraud-alerts); or Experian (https://www.experian.com/fraud/center.html). A fraud alert tells creditors to follow certain procedures, including contacting you, before they open any new accounts or change your existing accounts. For that reason, placing a fraud alert can protect you, but also may delay you when you seek to obtain credit. As of September 21, 2018, initial fraud alerts last for one year. Victims of identity theft can also get an extended fraud alert for seven years. The phone numbers for all three credit bureaus are at the bottom of this page.

Monitoring: You should always remain vigilant and monitor your accounts for suspicious or unusual activity.

Security Freeze: You also have the right to place a security freeze on your credit report. A security freeze is intended to prevent credit, loans, and services from being approved in your name without your consent. To place a security freeze on your credit report, you need to make a request to each consumer reporting agency. You may make that request by certified mail, overnight mail, regular stamped mail, or by following the instructions found at the websites listed below. The following information must be included when requesting a security freeze (note that if you are requesting a credit report for your spouse or a minor under the age of 16, this information must be provided for him/her as well): (1) full name, with middle initial and any suffixes; (2) Social Security number; (3) date of birth; (4) current address and any previous addresses for the past five years; and (5) any applicable incident report or complaint with a law enforcement agency or the Registry of Motor Vehicles. The request must also include a copy of a government-issued identification card and a copy of a recent utility

bill or bank or insurance statement. It is essential that each copy be legible, display your name and current mailing address, and the date of issue. As of September 21, 2018, it is free to place, lift, or remove a security freeze. You may also place a security freeze for children under the age of 16. You may obtain a free security freeze by contacting any one or more of the following national consumer reporting agencies:

 Equifax Security Freeze
 Experian Security Freeze
 TransUnion (FVAD)

 P.O. Box 105788
 P.O. Box 9554
 P.O. Box 2000

 Atlanta, GA 30348
 Allen, TX 75013
 Chester, PA 19022

 800-525-6285
 888-397-3742
 800-680-7289

More information can also be obtained by contacting the Federal Trade Commission listed above.

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Dear Parent of << Name 1>>

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What Happened:

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What Information Was Involved:

Based on the investigation, it appears that some of your child's personal information was contained in the employee compromised email accounts, including your child's name and limited health information. While we do not have any evidence of the misuse of your child's information, we are nonetheless notifying you out of an abundance of caution and encourage you to take full advantage of the services offered.

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In light of this incident, we have secured the services of Cyberscout to provide the parents of impacted minor dependents with access to **Cyber Monitoring*** services for you and your minor child for twelve (12) months at no charge. Cyber monitoring will look out for yours and your child's personal data on the dark web and alert you if your personally identifiable information or your child's is found online.

How Do I Enroll For The Free Services:

To enroll in Cyber Monitoring services at no charge, please log on to **https://www.myidmanager.com** and follow the instructions provided. When prompted please provide the following unique code to receive services: <CODE HERE.> In order for you to receive the monitoring services described above, you must enroll within 90 days from the date of this letter.

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