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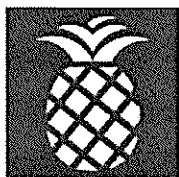
To Whom It May Concern,

Keiser University is important to our community because of the highly educated and qualified Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonographers the University's Diagnostic Medical Sonography program provides. As both alumni and a current clinical preceptor, I can attest to the high level of education offered. I was a student extern at Bethesda Hospital and was offered a job based on my level of education and acquired skillset I obtained at Keiser University. I am currently the Lead Ultrasound Technologist at Bethesda Hospital West, and I attribute that to the classroom and clinical education I received from the Diagnostic Medical Sonography program at Keiser University in Fort Lauderdale.

In addition to my career success, I have also been fortunate enough to work alongside many colleagues who have been hired as new graduates from Keiser University's Diagnostic Medical Sonography program—between both Bethesda West and Bethesda East Hospitals. Hospital-wide it is agreed upon that Keiser University produces the highest quality graduates due to both the highly educated professors, and the combined general and vascular education the program offers. Most hospitals are transitioning into combined general and vascular ultrasound labs, and new graduates must have the education and skillset in both modalities. In addition to being more marketable, it also offers the new graduate a higher level of pay.

Bethesda Hospital East and Bethesda Hospital West have proudly been acquired by Baptist Health South Florida which employs more than 24,000 employees and has been awarded Fortune's 100 best companies to work for over twenty times. With eleven hospitals and over one hundred outpatient centers, Keiser University contributes to the highly educated employees provided by the Diagnostic Medical Sonography program offered at the Fort Lauderdale campus. I am proud to be a graduate of the program and am thankful for the education and externship I received that afforded me a successful career in Diagnostic Medical Sonography.

Sincerely,



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