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RE: Keiser University Advisory Board Letter

To Whom it May Concern:

My name is Patty Ballantine, Chief Operating Office at Care Point Health & Wellness Center (Tallahassee, FL). I am a member of the Keiser University Advisory Board because they are a valuable member of our Business, Education and Healthcare community. I have been serving on the Keiser University Advisory Board for a little over two (2) years and have loved the experience. KU has always been open to listening to what the needs are of the community and how the curriculum and graduates will help fill these needs.

Keiser University is important to our organization and community because of the type of graduates they produce. We have a very real shortage in (quality) healthcare workers in our community and I know KU works hard to teach, train and graduate quality people.

Care Point Health & Wellness Center is a medical facility serving the Tallahassee community for the past four (4) years. We have welcomed numerous students from the Keiser Medical Assisting (MA) program to do their clinical externship with our team. Many have been hired post externship. When hiring for an open medical assistant position, if I see Keiser University on a resume -I know I will get a top-notch trained MA.

My relationship with Keiser extends beyond the Advisory Board. We have partnered in the community in special events where their students can get hands on experience with their career path.

Last, I am impressed with leadership at Keiser University. Ms. Maria Mead and Mr. Shyam Mistry are leaders who care about their school students and community. We are happy to continue a long-lasting partnership and collaboration with Keiser University.

Best regards,



Patty Ballantine
Chief Operating Officer