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Washington, DC 20548

April 7, 2016

Congressional Requesters

Thank you for your letter, jointly signed by a number of your colleagues, requesting that the Government Accountability Office update a correspondence entitled *Health Care Funding: Federal Obligations to and Expenditures by Selected Entities Involved in Health-Related Activities*.

GAO accepts your request as work that is within the scope of its authority. At the current time we anticipate that staff with the required skills will be available to initiate an engagement in about seven months. Your request has been assigned to Ms. A. Nicole Clowers, Managing Director, Health Care. Closer to the time GAO can start this engagement, Ms. Clowers or a member of her team will contact your office to confirm that this request continues to be your priority for us. As applicable, we will also be in contact with the cognizant Inspector General's office to ensure that we are not duplicating efforts. If an issue arises during this coordination, we will consult with you regarding its resolution.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Clowers at [REDACTED] or Mr. David Lewis, Assistant Director, Congressional Relations, on my staff at [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Katherine Siggerud'.

Katherine Siggerud
Managing Director
Congressional Relations

Attachment

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