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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 22, 1993

Honorable Karen Shepherd
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Rep. Shepherd:

Thank you for your letter in support of the invitation extended by the the Caring Program for Children. Unfortunately, my schedule does not permit me to participate in every event that I would like to attend. If I am able to participate in this worthwhile event, I will contact Ms. Linda Kruse directly.

Again, thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

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Hillary Rodham Clinton

Karen Shepherd
Utah — Second District



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Public Works and Transportation
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July 6, 1993

Hillary Rodham Clinton
Office of the First Lady
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
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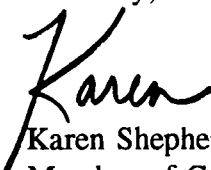
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May 10, 1993

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Office of the First Lady
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mrs. Clinton:

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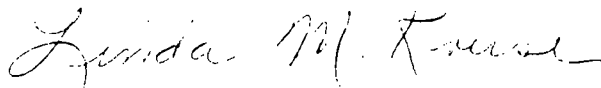
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Sincerely,



Linda M. Kruse
Assistant Vice President
The Caring Program For Children

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ALAN WHEAT
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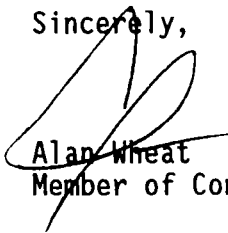
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I would appreciate you giving this invitation every possible consideration. If my office can help in any way, as you consider this opportunity, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,


Alan Wheat
Member of Congress

March 3, 1993

Dear Congresswoman Shepherd:

It was wonderful to meet with you and the other members of the Caucus for Women's Issues to discuss the vitally important topic of health care reform.

I look forward to working with you. With your collaboration, I feel confident that our common endeavor will be successful.

All the best.

Sincerely yours,

Honorable Karen Shepherd
U. S. House of Representatives
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Public Works and Transportation
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June 18, 1993

Ms. Hillary Rodham Clinton
Task Force on National Health Care Reform
Old Executive Office Building, Room 213
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Ms. Clinton:

Let me take this opportunity to thank you for your dedication and skill in developing a comprehensive proposal for national health care reform. I look forward to working closely with you and the President in the months to come.

Please find enclosed a health care reform proposal written by Mr. Robert Murri, a constituent from my district. I hope it can be of use to you during the Task Force's deliberations.

Thank you for your attention. Please feel free to contact me if I can be of any assistance in your efforts.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Karen".

Karen Shepherd
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THE WHITE HOUSE

October 29, 1993

Honorable Karen Sheperd
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Congresswoman Sheperd:

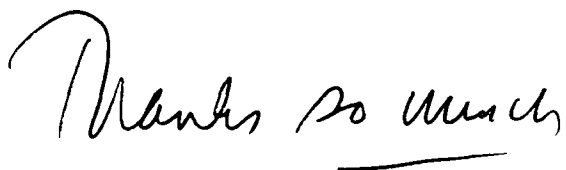
On behalf of the President, I want to express my deep gratitude for your co-sponsorship of the Health Security Act. Your action reflects an unswerving commitment to ensuring health security for all Americans.

We are grateful for your contribution to this historic effort and for your invaluable advice. We look forward to working with you in the weeks and months ahead to make health care reform a reality. Your leadership will be critical to passage in this Congress.

With appreciation and respect, I am

Sincerely yours,


Hillary Rodham Clinton



THE WHITE HOUSE

June 1, 1993

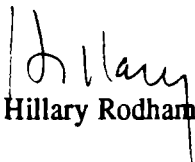
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Dear Representative Shepherd:

As the President's Task Force on National Health Care Form concludes its work, I wanted to write and thank you for your help. I appreciate the information you provided about Utah's system, and of course, your strong advocacy for comprehensive health reform.

The President's proposal will soon be submitted to Congress. I hope that he can count on your support.

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Member of Congress

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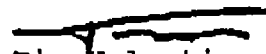
Dear Mrs. Clinton:

You have recently received an invitation from officials of The Country Doctor Museum in Bailey, North Carolina, to speak on the future of health care in America on Sunday, September 26, 1993, to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the museum. I am writing to encourage you to accept the invitation.

The museum, which is located in my congressional district, is dedicated to the country doctors who have served rural America for over 150 years. I have visited the museum many times and have always found it to be inspiring and fascinating. This forum would offer you the opportunity in a unique setting to discuss health care reform.

I sincerely hope you will be able to accept the invitation to visit eastern North Carolina. You will receive a warm and enthusiastic reception.

Cordially,


Tim Valentine

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July 1, 1993

First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton
Chairperson, Health Care Task Force
Old Executive Building, Room 287
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mrs. Clinton:

I am writing on behalf of Ms. Margaret R. Bean, President of the Georgia Public Health Association. They would be honored if you could speak at the Association's Annual Meeting to be held in May of 1994. I understand that they have sent a formal request to you.

The Georgia Public Health Association provides scientific and educational opportunities for members and the public and acts as liaison to the General Assembly of Georgia, as well as other governmental agencies.

I support the Georgia Public Health Association, and hope that you will be able to accommodate their request.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely,


John Lewis
Member of Congress

THE WHITE HOUSE

September 1, 1993

The Honorable Karen Shepherd
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative Shepherd:

Thank you sending me material by Mr. Robert Murri. Mr. Murri provides thoughtful analyses of many of the critical aspects of health care reform. I appreciate your sharing his plan with me.

Again, thank you for contacting me.

Sincerely,


Hillary Rodham Clinton

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 24, 1993

List of Senators for Dinner with POTUS
(In order of priority)

1. Daschle
2. Reid
3. Biden
4. Bingaman
5. Exon
6. Heflin
- * 7. Kohl
- * 8. Robb
9. Metzenbaum
10. DeConcini
11. Campbell
12. Boxer
13. Dorgan
- * 14. Feingold (Just played golf together)
15. Inouye
16. Leahy
17. Mathews

Dodd
* Ford
Glenn
Graham
* Hollings
Levin
* Lieberman
Murray
Riegle
Rockefeller
Sarbanes
Simon
Wellstone
Wofford

* The following should have been in to see POTUS already:

Feinstein
Hollings
Lieberman
Sasser
Moynihan

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

To: Howard Paster/Susan Brophy
From: Lorraine Miller
Re: Suggested Dinner List of House Members for First Lady
Date: August 23, 1993

Rep. Pat Williams, MT
Rep. Magolies-Mezvinsky
Rep. Don Johnson
Rep. Ike Skelton
Rep. Karen English
Rep. Karen Shepard
Rep. Elizabeth Furse
Rep. Cleo Fields
Rep. Paul McHale
Rep. Ron Klink
Rep. Bart Stupak
Rep. Ted Strickland
Rep. Eric Fingerhut
Rep. Karen Thurman
Rep. Tim Holden
Rep. Tim Johnson
Rep. Buddy Darden
Rep. Tom Barlow
Rep. Thomas Barrett
Rep. James Barcia
Rep. Blanche Lambert
Rep. Carolyn Maloney
Rep. Douglas Applegate
Rep. Neal Smith, IA
Rep. Glen Poshard
Rep. Matthew Martinez
Rep. Tim Valentine
Rep. Bill Sarpalius
Rep. Charlie Wilson
Rep. Mike Synar