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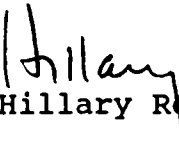
Dear Dr. Nichol:

Thank you for your letter, for the cassettes from the Menninger conference, and for sharing your thoughts about priorities for health care reform. I, too, am sorry that we were unable to meet in Kansas.

I agree with much of what you suggested in your letter. Our health care resources should be redirected, we must get pharmaceutical costs under control, and surely we can find incentives (short of the salary cap you suggest) to encourage physicians to enter family practice. The President's plan will also include malpractice reform and eliminate unnecessary paperwork in the system.

I appreciate your taking the time to put your recommendations in writing, and hope that you will support the President's proposal when it is released shortly.

Sincerely,


Hillary Rodham Clinton

cc: Senator Dale Bumpers