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Dear Phil:

As the Director of Operations for Atrium Health and the eight facilities we own and operate here in New Jersey, I wanted to take a moment to express our gratitude for the services provided by your Pre Physician Assistant Clerkship Program.

Working for the last seven years in this organization I have had the ability to see the program flourish and offer several obvious tangible benefits and as an operator understand the intangible benefits as well. Providing a continuum of care in the best possible environment has been our focus day in and day out. Having the benefit of this student program in our building has helped us achieve the minimization of unnecessary discharges and an added resource of patient assessment as it relates to patient length of stay.

We welcome the geographic expansion of you program into any of our facilities as you see fit. I would be happy to serve as a reference and advocate of the program if needed. I wish you much success and appreciate the value you and your associates bring to our patients and employees.

Best Regards,

Frank Cardone

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Frank Cardone', written over the printed name.