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Senate Community Pharmacy Caucus

Dear Colleague:

We invite you to join the Senate Community Pharmacy Caucus. Community pharmacists play a vital and unique role in our health care system. They are front-line health care providers, particularly in rural and other medically underserved areas, who provide patients with medications, equipment and supplies, and counsel on the proper management of treatments. In many parts of the country, these pharmacists are a patient’s most direct link to health care in his or her community.

We established this bipartisan Caucus in 2011 to serve as a clearinghouse of ideas and information about the important role pharmacists play in the delivery of health care in their communities and the challenges they face both as health care providers and small businesses. Among its activities, the Caucus hosts briefings featuring practicing pharmacists and policy experts, and serves as an informational resource for senators and staff. The objective of the Caucus is to foster a dialogue about the important role pharmacists play in improving patient care and reducing health care costs by helping patients manage the safe use of medications, administering immunizations, and working collaboratively with physicians and other providers.

Please join us in supporting the work of community pharmacists by joining the Senate Community Pharmacy Caucus. To join, please contact Alpha Lillstrom in Senator Jon Tester’s office at alpha_lillstrom@tester.senate.gov or 4-2644 or Brian Perkins in Senator Jerry Moran’s office at brian_perkins@moran.senate.gov or 4-6521.

Sincerely,

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