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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, United States Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, United States Capitol
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Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Ser Familia for wrap-around services, care coordination, and mental health services for Latino children and their families in fiscal year 2023. The project sponsor is Ser Familia located at 3594 Baxley Point Dr, Suwanee, GA 30024.

Funding for this program would be used to create a play therapy room, provide training, purchase two vehicles for transportation, expand access to prevention education, develop educational materials for mental health promotion, recruitment of mental health professionals, and increase access to the services of Spanish-speaking psychiatrists. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits:

1. Provision of comprehensive wrap-around services, care coordination and mental health services to Latino children and their families
2. Addressing systemic and structural barriers facing low-income Latino families

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carolyn Bourdeaux".

Carolyn Bourdeaux
Member of Congress