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525 W. Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor
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Re: 12-047

Dear Dale Galassie

I'm a dialysis patient that receives treatment at FMC Plainfield. My treatments are for 4 hrs at a time. Getting a chair time that works for me and the person who takes me is important. I know with the new Fresenius facility opening, it will help me and many others who need dialysis a lot.

My husband has to leave his work during his lunch break three times a week to take me to dialysis. He sometimes gets back to work late from lunch and has "gotten in trouble" with his boss a few times. The new Fresenius clinic is very close to me and I can just get a \$5 cab to take me there.

Please show your mercy on me and my family by approving this Fresenius Clinic.

Thanks, *Bettie Smith*

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