

THE PRESIDENT'S NEW FREEDOM
COMMISSION ON MENTAL HEALTH

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Dear Dr. Kossor:

Thank you for writing to the President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health and sharing the success of the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) program in Pennsylvania.

The Network for Behavior Change is to be commended for offering children with emotional disturbances and their families a treatment program that is comprehensive and efficient. I will share the EPSDT descriptive summary with the subcommittee on Children and Families.

The subcommittee on Children and Families will present its findings to the Commission at our February meeting. Please continue to follow our progress as we publish the findings of subcommittees on our website at www.MentalHealthCommission.gov.

Thank you again for your interest in and support of the Commission's work.

Sincerely,



Claire Heffernan
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