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Katherine Ponte
For Like Minds
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Dear Ms. Ponte,

On behalf of Connecticut Valley Hospital, we would like to extend our deepest gratitude for the incredible generosity and dedication you have shown through your organization's work. Your donation of 5,500 pairs of Bombas® socks has had a profound and uplifting impact on the patients we serve.

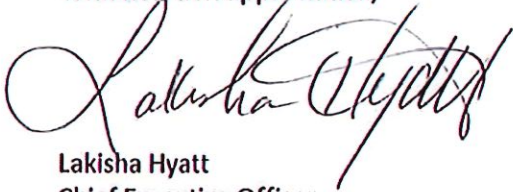
Thanks to your kindness and the efforts of your organization, we were able to provide over 350 patients across 17 behavioral health inpatient units with a warm and thoughtful gift this holiday season, a gesture that meant so much to those in our care. For many of our patients, these socks represented more than just physical warmth—they symbolized compassion, dignity, and hope during a time of great vulnerability.

Additionally, knowing that we can continue to provide these high-quality socks to patients upon discharge from our hospital is invaluable. The simple act of presenting our patients with a tangible gift of comfort as they leave our facility demonstrates that they are supported, cared for, and remembered.

Your work in partnering and coordinating with giving partners to bring meaningful donations to settings like ours truly makes a difference. It's not just the items you provide, but the love and thoughtfulness behind each donation that resonates deeply.

We are honored to partner with you and your organization, and we look forward to continuing this relationship in the future. Thank you again for your kindhearted commitment to providing to individuals on their journey towards recovery with hope and encouragement.

With heartfelt appreciation,



Lakisha Hyatt
Chief Executive Officer
Connecticut Valley Hospital



Alaina Lasnier
Director of Recovery Services
Connecticut Valley Hospital

Our Mission: Connecticut Valley Hospital provides trauma informed gender responsive treatment that empowers individuals to manage recovery, improve quality of life and return to the community.

Our Vision: To promote recovery through collaborative, compassionate, and culturally competent treatment in a safe, healthy, and caring environment.

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