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To Whom It May Concern:

Please be advised that the Community Healthcare System Central Institutional Review Board (CHS CIRB) operates under one assurance and provides oversight for the research conducted within the Community Healthcare System. The two IRBs linked to this assurance are the Community Foundation of Northwest Indiana IRB#1 and the National Cancer Institute Central IRB #1.

The purpose, structure and responsibilities of the CHS CIRB were established in compliance with the Code of Federal Regulation (45 CFR §46) of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), the Code of Federal Regulation (21 CFR §50 and 56) of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the ICH Good Clinical Practice (GCP) Guideline and is guided by the ethical principles found in the Belmont Report.

It is not the practice of this office to release the roster of Board member's name and credentials.

Please note the changes to the FWA and IORG numbers now associated with the Community Foundation of Northwest Indiana IRB#1.

FWA#00031600	Expires 12/15/2027
IORG#0011146	Expires 11/28/2025

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