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Dear Keith,

We, the members of Kids Without Cancer, cannot thank you enough for including our organization in your new film project, *"Those on the Frontlines of Cancer."* Not enough attention and financial support is provided to cancer research. Without research people will continue to suffer or die from it. A cure will never be found.

Kids Without Cancer has, for the past 37 years, been raising money to fund the pediatric cancer research being conducted at **Children's Hospital of Michigan** and its affiliates **Wayne State University** and the **Karmanos Cancer Institute**. In fact, this organization, in partnership with **Children's Hospital of Michigan Foundation**, is the largest contributor of funds to pediatric cancer research at Children's Hospital of all charities dedicated to funding cancer research.

Our organization was founded by a small group of concerned parents with one thing in common: they had children in cancer treatment at Children's Hospital of Michigan. At that time only about 50% of kids diagnosed with cancer would survive. Unwilling to sit idly by while their children suffered, these parents agreed to work together to help find a cure. They harnessed their collective energies and began raising funds for the dedicated doctors and researchers doing cutting-edge research at Children's Hospital of Michigan.

Thanks to research the survival rates for many childhood cancers have improved dramatically. In 1981 half of all kids diagnosed with cancer would die from the disease. Today; the average survival rate is nearly 80%. We have come a long way but there is still a lot of work to be done. We will not rest until a cure is found.

Keith, we feel honored to be a part of your amazing project. We hope the project encourages the support of much needed research into finding a cure for all cancers.

Sincerely,

Nick Consiglio

President

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