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Illinois HFSRB  
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Ms. Avery;

I am a patient of Dr. Nagarkatte, and I have stage 4 chronic kidney disease (CKD). Right now, I do not need dialysis treatment, but if I ever do, it would reassure me to have a facility close to home where I can be in the care of doctors I know and trust. That is why I support my doctor and U.S. Renal Care on this project.

As I said, I have no idea what the future holds or if I will ever need to be on dialysis treatment. But from my understanding, there are a lot of people around here with kidney disease, and they do not necessarily have a choice in where they go to treatment. The facilities can be a long way from patients' homes and they get pretty crowded. It's always good for patients to have another option for those reasons and others.

When you're faced with something like chronic kidney disease, you take comfort in knowing that you have the support of your doctor, and that you have quality care and treatment close to home. But a number of patients in this area don't necessarily have that, and that is why I support U.S. Renal Care in this effort. Allowing them to open a new dialysis facility in Lemont would go a long way in providing peace of mind to kidney patients like me and to those who need dialysis services.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my points on this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely;

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