September 3, 2010

Dear Dr. Lloyd-Puryear,

The evidence review of Critical Congenital Cyanotic Heart Disease (CCCHD) is now complete. The final report is enclosed.

Numerous changes have been made to the report since the May 14th, 2010, ACHDNC meeting to reflect the comments from the Committee and to incorporate newer evidence.

Important changes in the final report include:

- Updated literature review including literature pertaining to Natural History, Diagnosis, Treatment and Economics
- Communication with CCCHD experts
- Revised tables throughout the document
- Revised methods, key findings, summary and remaining questions

In addition, the entire report has been revised to improve readability.

Sincerely,

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