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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$1,000,000 in funding for Burre Dental Center Expansion in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Burre Dental Center, located a 1275 Eighth Street Arcata, CA 95521.

The funding would be used to expand an existing dental facility by adding 6 additional operatories and associated staff work areas. The expansion would allow for hiring two additional dentists and for the training of one additional dental resident each year, expanding capacity by 8,000 visits per year. This additional dental capacity would be focused on children's dental health improvement.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have benefits. Open Door Community Health Centers (ODCHC) is a non-profit community health center dedicated, since its inception in 1971, to finding and meeting unmet needs of the community. In 2020 Burre Dental Center served 6,410 unduplicated patients. Over 43% of patients are below 200% of Federal poverty level. ODCHC and Burre Dental Center serve patients from all walks of life in Humboldt County and surrounding rural areas, including adjacent counties.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,
Member of Congress



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