



Kaleida Health

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Via email to: hospitalstaffingplan@health.ny.gov

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Re: Buffalo General Medical Center Clinical Staffing Committee – Detailed Staffing Plans

Dear Dr. Shulman:

Enclosed please find a copy of our response per the October 25, 2023, request that is in addition to the hospital clinical staffing plans submitted via the Health Electronic Response Data System (HERDS) on July 1 and August 15.

We have evaluated the recommended plan and considered the areas of disagreement.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Judy Baumgartner". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Judy" being the most prominent.

Judy Baumgartner
President, Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital
and DeGraff Medical Park

DeGraff Medical Park (DMP)

a.) DMP Emergency Department +

Charge Nurse	1 with a two patient assignment 24/7
Registered Nurse	1 to 4 depending on acuity
Patient Care Assistant	1:6-8

Ancillary staff:

Clerical

Additional resources available to support unit level patient care:

Providers, Nursing Supervisor, MFSH float RN as available, and Nursing Management.

No Consensus reached:

Members wanted additional ancillary support, RN Charge out of numbers, and increased PCA coverage.