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Dear Amy Hunter

We are notifying you of a potential situation involving a medication incident that might have occurred during your recent visit to Johnson City Medical Center, 400 N. State of Franklin Road, Johnson City, Tennessee, on

5/3/2021.

While you were admitted, an unacceptable practice and violation of our policy – by what appears to be a single nurse – might have occurred, which affected your medication. As a result, we believe you have the right to be aware of the possible ramifications and options.

We have no indication this violation of our policy is likely to result in an unintended outcome for you, and we believe the risk to you is extremely low. However, because this incident occurred, we encourage you, as a precaution, to be tested for possible exposure to certain viruses, including hepatitis C, hepatitis B and human immunodeficiency virus.

All of us at Johnson City Medical Center understand this information is alarming. The medical center has taken immediate action to notify law enforcement and healthcare regulatory agencies of the deviation from our policy by this individual, we have removed the individual and we continue to investigate the incident.

We will assist you in every way possible, including paying for the tests we are recommending. In the unlikely event there has been any exposure, there are treatment options available.

Your health is our top priority. We have made arrangements with our laboratory at Johnson City Medical Center to provide this testing at no cost to you. The hours for testing are 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and you can call the number below for further details about testing. You can also come directly to the registration desk at Johnson City Medical Center, and they will direct you to the outpatient lab for testing.