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## Managed Care

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To: vamirc@mirc.virginia.gov

Fri, Dec 20, 2013 at 12:54 PM

Kim Goodloe  
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Ashland, VA [REDACTED]

December 20, 2013

VA MIRC

Dear VA MIRC:

My husband and I have spent the last 24 years caring for and supporting our twin boys who were born with Tuberosus Sclerosis. They are very different individuals with very different needs. Chris still sits on the waiting list for the ID waiver, wanting desperately to live on his own, in his own place, but he needs the supports of the ID waiver. His brother Matthew who has complex medical needs and is severely developmentally delayed has received a waiver. This waiver has allowed us to work with the resources offered and give him an opportunity for a life that is as independent as possible given his complex medical needs. If you go to managed care and lock our family into a box of insurance companies who don't understand caregivers, independence, respect, access to community and the need for him to have his own life and want us to justify "medically" what is a necessary you have taken us back 20+ years. I invite any of you to come to our home, meet Matthew and Chris and learn first hand why managed care would be a nightmare for us. We are actively involved in the legislative process and we support The Arc of Virginia's comments regarding "Phase 3" Medicaid reforms that impact Virginians with intellectual and developmental disabilities. A copy of these comments can be found at the following link:  
[REDACTED]

Thank you,

Tom & Kim Goodloe

Thank you,

Kim Goodloe

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Please use this link to SEE ME and view more information about me

[REDACTED]

Kim Goodloe sent this message using the Capwiz·XC system on the The Arc of Virginia Web site. To learn more about The Arc of Virginia's issues, please visit [REDACTED].