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St. Coletta of Wisconsin  
Ted Behncke, President  
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Dear Mr. Behncke,

This is to congratulate you and your team on winning the 'Moving Mountains Award for 2019' recognizing St. Coletta of Wisconsin for using leading practices in direct support workforce development that result in improved outcomes for people with disabilities.

You must be so proud to have received this prestigious award by The American Network of Community Options and Resources (ANCOR), the National Alliance for Direct Support Professionals (NADSP) and the Institute on Community Integration at the University of Minnesota (ICI).

As the Secretary of the Department of Health Services, one of the largest and most diverse state agencies in Wisconsin with more than 6,100 employees, I know how important it is to have good employees. Our Division of Medicaid Services (DMS) oversees the provision of long-term support and services for people with disabilities including Family Care, IRIS, and several other Home and Community-Based (HCBS) Medicaid waiver programs.

It is innovative providers like you that we want serving our Medicaid beneficiaries. I am so happy to see that My Choice Family Care, Care Wisconsin, Community Care, Inc. and Inclusive Managed Care Organizations (MCO) all contract with St. Coletta of Wisconsin in their provider networks.

Once again my enthusiastic congratulations!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrea Palm".

Andrea Palm  
Secretary

*Congrats!*