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To Whom it May Concern,

KVC Kentucky is happy to provide a letter of support for Humana of Kentucky as they pursue their bid for the Medicaid and SKY Managed Care Organization (MCO) contracts. Humana has been easy to work with, and we have appreciated their partnership.

Recently, Humana representatives reached out to KVC Kentucky to talk about how we can creatively work together to serve both the children in the foster care system as well as those who are at-risk for removal and foster care placement. For over 17 years, KVC Kentucky has provided an array of behavioral health, substance abuse and child welfare services that target significant problems families face in our contemporary society. We positively impact the lives of over 12,000 children and families each year by providing in-home behavioral healthcare and substance abuse treatment, family preservation and reunification, and foster care services. KVC Kentucky is committed to strengthening and supporting the well-being and vitality of Kentucky's children, families and communities through our high-quality, impactful services designed to empower clients by building on their unique strengths.

Through our partnership, we will collaborate to identify children at risk for removal and provide them with appropriate services and interventions to keep the child in their home; including offering parenting classes and appropriate therapies to parents. We will also work to complete appropriate assessments and share the results of these assessments with Humana. Finally, we are looking forward to working with Humana to implement a value based program that incentivizes all parties, across the spectrum of providers offering preventive services to work together across the continuum of care. Again, we are happy to support Humana in their pursuit of their bid to serve as a Kentucky MCO provider and serve the SKY population. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,


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