To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in support of Virtual Schoolhouse initiative to implement My Educational Chart System. A system that can maximize the planning, delivery, charting, and coordinating of professional services to a single point of data access for all providers of a single student.

Ohio public schools have the immense responsibility of collecting data ranging from birth certificate, shot records, BMI information, academic progress, and attendance. These data are used for compliance verification required by a host of mandated oversight agencies, some of which ask for the same information in a variety of formats. Some of these data are then used to guide instruction. Student planning for a special education student requires much deeper information than does a regular education student. Managing these data requires many staff, which entails a greater demand on human and financial resources. My Educational Chart System will serve as the means to more effectively and efficiently collect and manage student data to better coordinate student need assessment/services. My Educational Chart System, as described in the application, creates the means for professionals to connect to the same student data (live time) to enable them to make longer lasting decisions based on multifaceted input.

Sincerely,

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