**Attachment 4 – Thank you letter**

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Thank you

…for the assistance you have given us. Your comments during this focus group will help us collect higher-quality information from persons throughout the country. The information will be used for many purposes that will benefit all Americans, such as providing information on the kinds of health conditions that affect most Americans, so that research funds can be best used, or developing screening or education programs to help prevent serious disabilities.

The information you provided will, of course, be held in confidence. When combined with information given by other volunteers, it will help us to identify the best way to reach out to Americans and ask them about their health. We greatly appreciate your help in this effort.

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