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Dear Dr. Witzke,

I am writing to offer my support for the advancement of the OSU-Cascades online RN-to-BSN nursing program. With the growing need for bachelor-educated nurses in our healthcare system here in the Central Oregon community, it is clear we need to enhance the local pathways toward the BSN career.

I look forward to Bend Memorial Clinic's future support of OSU Cascades in providing affordable pathways to advance the careers of highly trained nurses.

Bend Memorial Clinic prides itself in providing high quality patient care. This program could help provide much needed BSN nursing resources. It is my privlege to offer full support of this proposal.

Sincerely,

David Holloway, MD, CPE, FAAFP
Chief Executive Officer
Bend Memorial Clinic