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Friday, April 20, 2007

Dear Dr. Darren,

We are sincerely grateful for the "Children's Health Day International" which you sponsor every year. We attended this event last year and it may have saved our daughter's life, or at least the quality of it. The complimentary thermoscan that was offered detected an abnormality in our daughter's lower back. We then came back for a free consultation that you so graciously offered and was alerted to potential problems with her hips. You advised us to get some x-rays done which we did and found out that our daughter has Developmental Dysplasia of the Hips and both hips were severely dislocated.

Many doctors had seen our daughter prior to this and nobody mentioned that she had this condition. Even x-rays had been taken and her condition was not identified. If it had not been for us attending the "Kid's International Day," we may never have known that she had a serious medical problem that would have disabled her in early adulthood.

Due to your intervention, our daughter has begun the process of operations to correct her hip dysplasia. She is currently under the care of one of the best surgeons at Sick Kids Hospital and has had one hip corrected, with the second coming in the near future.

We cannot possibly express the immense gratitude we have for your intervention in our daughter's life. The "Children's Health Day International" is a wonderful and truly generous event which everyone in the community should attend. We are certainly grateful that we did, and we thank you for sponsoring it.

Sincere thank you,

Alanna & Barry Jarvis