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In-District Meeting Request Template

Dear *[insert name of Senator or Representative's health lead here]*:

I hope this note finds you well. My name is [insert name here] and I am from [insert organization here and provide background on organization]. We are reaching out in the hopes of scheduling a brief call with you to discuss the Hospital Inpatient Services Modernization Act ([S. 3792](#) / [H.R. 7053](#)), which would extend the Hospital at Home (HaH) program for 2 years beyond the end of the public health emergency.

In November 2020, in response to COVID-19 pandemic-related hospital capacity concerns, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) implemented the Acute Hospital Care at Home waiver which provides payments to hospitals that provide hospital-level care in patients' home as a substitute for care traditionally provided in acute care hospitals.

*We are strong proponents of the HaH program and we believe that hospitals can use this program to improve value while keeping their patients safe and satisfied during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond. Would you be available for a brief call in August *[insert dates or range if appropriate]* to discuss our experience and collective efforts to ensure this program is extended?*

Thank you in advance and we look forward to meeting with you.

[insert signature]