

May 16, 2016

The Honorable John M. O'Bannon, III
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Dear Delegate O'Bannon:

Thank you for your leadership as Chair of the Joint Commission on Health Care.

As you may recall, we discussed the possibility of the Joint Commission on Health Care's studying the issue of medical care provided in state prisons. You recommended that I write a letter to you and the Executive Director of the JCHC.

Therefore, I am writing to request that the Commission conduct a study or evaluation of the costs to the state of medical care for prisoners provided by the Commonwealth while inmates are incarcerated, especially costs for pharmaceutical products.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kaye Kory
Member
Virginia House of Delegates
38th District

CC: Dr. Michele L. Chesser, JCHC Executive Director