

April 7, 2025

The Honorable Thom Tillis
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Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John Cornyn
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The Honorable Nicole Malliotakis
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The Honorable Chris Coons
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The Honorable Michael Bennet
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The Honorable Brad Schneider
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Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senators Tillis, Coons, Cornyn and Bennet and Representatives Malliotakis and Schneider:

As organizations dedicated to ensuring a resilient and reliable U.S. healthcare supply chain, we write in strong support of the Medical Supply Chain Resiliency Act. This bipartisan, bicameral legislation contains several important provisions designed to ensure the nation's healthcare providers and the patients they care for have access to essential medical supplies needed for high-quality care.

An unprecedented number of complex and compounding challenges spurred by ongoing economic factors, geopolitical tensions and natural disasters have exposed significant vulnerabilities in our medical supply chains. The implications of these disturbances can have far-reaching consequences – affecting the production, distribution, availability and pricing of critical medical devices, pharmaceuticals and other vital healthcare supplies.

Currently, many healthcare products are overly reliant on a single supplier, country, or region for manufacturing, leading to potential shortages and disruptions to patient care. True supply chain diversification requires a balanced approach of onshoring on U.S. soil, nearshoring with trusted trade partners and offshoring with a diverse global geographic footprint to achieve greater redundancy and minimize disruptions.

A strong and sustainable healthcare supply chain is essential for quality patient care and requires a multifaceted strategy that bolsters domestic manufacturing while cultivating trusted trade partnerships. The Medical Supply Chain Resiliency Act would help address the vulnerabilities in the U.S. supply chain by enabling the establishment of trade agreements with trusted trade partner countries to diversify sourcing for critical medical devices and pharmaceuticals, protect public health and bolster national security.

Thank you for your bipartisan leadership on these important issues. This bill is a comprehensive approach that will strengthen the healthcare supply chain and promote high-quality, lower cost care for our patients. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Advent Health
Advocate Health
America's Essential Hospitals

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Banner Health
BayCare Health Systems, LLC (WI)
BayCare Health System (FL)
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Baystate Health
Bon Secours Mercy Health
Capstone Health Alliance
Carilion Clinic
Cardiovascular Logistics
Catholic Health Association
ChristianaCare
CNECT
Coherus Biosciences
Cone Health
Crawford County Memorial Hospital
Fairview Health Services
Federation of American Hospitals
Firelands Health
Healthcare Leadership Council
Healthcare Purchasing Connection
Iroquois Healthcare Association
Maimonides Health
MYCO Medical
North Oaks Health System
NOW Interactives
Pandion Optimization Alliance
Prairie Health Ventures
Premier Inc.
Saint Francis Health System
Samaritan Medical Center
Skagit Regional Health
Tanner Health
Texas Health Resources
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UnityPoint Health
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