



August 17, 2022

Jude Daye, Executive Assistant
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Montpelier, VT 05601

Re: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Vermont, The Vermont Health Plan
2023 AHP Rating Program Filing
SERFF Tracking #: BCVT-133316538

Dear Jude Daye:

We have been retained by the Green Mountain Care Board (“GMCB”) to review the above referenced group products filings submitted on 7/7/2022. The following additional information is required for these filings.

Notice regarding proper responses:

- A minimum-acceptable response to quantitative questions from us must include a spreadsheet calculation with retained formulas such that we can replicate the calculations therein.
- Explanatory responses are merely a supplement to the spreadsheet material and in of themselves will constitute a lack of response.

Questions:

1. Please provide exhibits in spreadsheet format detailing the buildup of the aggregate unit cost assumptions from facility- and month-level inputs, under the following 2 scenarios:
 - a. The assumptions used to populate the filed AHP actuarial memorandum.
 - b. Assuming the Board were to reduce filed FY2023 hospital budget increase amounts by 17%.

Please be aware that we expect to have further questions regarding the filing as the review continues.

To ensure that the review of your filing has been completed before statutory deadlines, we expect you to respond as expeditiously as possible to every objection in our letter, but no later than August 22, 2022.

We trust that you understand these forms may not be used in Vermont until they are formally approved by the GMCB.

Sincerely,

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