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Dear Patient,

We are reaching out to you because you have chronic kidney disease (CKD) and are currently taking medication for high blood pressure. You may qualify for a clinical research study called BLOCK-CKD that is enrolling now.

The purpose of the BLOCK-CKD study is to look at the effectiveness of an investigational drug on uncontrolled high blood pressure in patients with moderate-to-severe chronic kidney disease (CKD).

The study drug is designed to lower blood pressure to prevent further damage to the kidneys. It is considered "investigational" in this study because it has not been approved by the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or other regulatory authorities for reducing blood pressure in those with CKD. If you qualify, the study drug will be provided to be taken in addition to your current medications. The study will last approximately 22 weeks and requires at least 11 office visits during this time.

You may be eligible to participate if you meet these criteria*:

- Age 18 to 85 years
- Diagnosed with chronic kidney disease
- Treated for high blood pressure
- Currently take 2 or more blood pressure medications

*Other criteria will apply

Study staff experienced in clinical trials will monitor your health throughout the study. What we learn from the BLOCK-CKD study may help reduce uncontrolled high blood pressure in those with CKD in the future.

Qualified participants will receive at no cost:

- Study drug or placebo (inactive drug)
- Study-related lab tests and physical exams
- Compensation for time and travel

To receive additional information about the BLOCK-CKD study or if you know someone who may be interested, please contact my office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

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Principal Investigator
BLOCK-CKD study

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