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February 19, 2015

Kimberley D. Moseley, Deputy Assistant Secretary
Office of Labor Management Relations (LMR)
Department of Veterans Affairs
810 Vermont Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20420

Subject: VHA Glove and Gown Study in VA Community Living Centers Survey

Dear Ms. Moseley:

National VA Council #53 is not approving the survey as cited above for AFGE represented bargaining unit employees in VHA within the Department.

If you have any questions please call me at (217) 554-4866.

Sincerely,

Oscar L. Williams, Jr.
Chairperson, Mid-Term Bargaining Committee
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cc: Alma L. Lee, President National VA Council #53
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Williams, Oscar L Jr.

From: Bennett, Larry
Sent: Monday, February 09, 2015 8:30 AM
To: Williams, Oscar L Jr.
Subject: Gown and Glove Study Documents
Attachments: AFGE 2011 Approval of Gown and Glove Study.pdf; Gown and Glove Study Document.pdf

Good Morning, Mr. Williams Jr.

The Department of Veterans Affairs, VHA, is providing you information regarding the Gown and Glove study in VA Community Living Centers.

This study will help to identify which types of care that can be more efficient in what we do to prevent the spread of MRSA. The study will be conducted at VA Community Living Centers in Baltimore, MD, Perry Point, MD, Boston, MA, San Antonio, TX, Buffalo, NY, and Washington, DC. Participation is completely voluntary, confidential and their anonymity protected. As you can see in one of the attachments, you approved the same study in 2011, however, adding San Antonio, TX, to the study.

Thanks,

Larry.



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