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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

**FROM:** Jennifer Weaver, MD, Inpatient Behavioral Health

**SUBJECT:** Letter of Appreciation

1. This letter is written to express my sincere appreciation for all the outstanding work Azalea Charities has done for military service members. I have worked with Azalea Charities for the last 5 years at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and currently at Fort Belvoir Community Hospital.
2. Azalea Charities is an extremely valuable asset and has been instrumental in the successful recovery of high risk patients hospitalized for psychiatric illness. The organization has efficiently and effectively honored various and multiple requests not only for individual patients in need of assistance, but also has generously supported the therapeutic milieu both at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and Fort Belvoir Community Hospital. A well-resourced milieu is critical for successful recovery and patient satisfaction.
3. Azalea Charities have provided a several meals, multiple entertainment activities, therapeutic outings, games and art supplies, dignified guests and speakers, and leisure time activities that directly and significantly improved the programs available to our deserving service members in their time of psychiatric need. Due to the nature of their illness, many of the inpatient psychiatric patients have deficits in occupational, recreational and social functioning. Several are service members returning from combat deployments and need help with re-intergration problems. The activities that have been made available by donations by Azalea Charities promote the development of healthy, adaptive ways to enjoy life and cope with symptoms that they are experiencing and return to function with their families and military units after they are discharged from the hospital.
4. Azalea Charities is a caring, generous and dedicated organization serving our military service members and families. Their service and support is unmatched by any other organization that has worked with our Inpatient Behavioral Health Service. I am grateful for everything Azalea Charities has done for our patients and sincerely hope that we can continue to work with Azalea Charities to provide the highest level of psychiatric care possible at Fort Belvoir Community Hospital.
5. Please feel free to contact me with any questions at (571)231-4645 or [jennifer.june.weaver@us.army.mil](mailto:jennifer.june.weaver@us.army.mil)

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Jennifer Weaver".

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