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Frank E. Lasch, Sr
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Dear Mr. Lasch:

On behalf of the VA Puget Sound Health Care System, please accept my sincere gratitude for your generous donation of an additional \$5,000 made in memory of Captain Drew Jensen. We appreciate Azalea's mission - "to lift their spirits and enhance their morale as well as affect a lifetime support program" for the men and women who serve and sacrifice for our country.

As with your previous gift, this recent donation has been earmarked to assist family members with lodging and other needs while their loved ones receive treatment on the Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) Unit at the Seattle VA Medical Center. Your thoughtfulness will enable many family members to be near their loved ones during their rehabilitation process. Once the Fisher House is operational later this summer, your gift will continue to support SCI families who are able to stay in this wonderful new addition to our facility.

We appreciate our relationship with Azalea Charities as VA Puget Sound continually makes every effort to provide the very best in care and services to America's heroes - our veterans and their families. Thank you again for your heartfelt contribution.

Sincerely,

for Linda C. Reed

Jeffrey E. Honeycutt
Director, Voluntary Service
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