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A new GMCB Public Comment has been received.

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Name: Florence Katon

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Topic: Hospital Budget

Comment: I am an Operations Support Specialist in the Surgery department at UVMMC. We need better wages that we can be able to live on and better staffing levels. We can not recruit new staff on the wages we pay. We're asking the board to consider ensuring that the UVM Medical Center prioritizes in our budget the most important resource; employees. We have been undervalued for too long.

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