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A new GMCB Public Comment has been received.

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Name: Bethany Wolfson

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Topic: Hospital Budget

Comment: I am a Unit Secretary at UVMMC's Neurology inpatient unit. We need higher wages. It's a struggle/impossible for an adult to live on the wages at the hospital in this area and as a result we are hemorrhaging good employees. 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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