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Dear Members of the Jan R. Cloyde Legacy Foundation,

I hope this message finds you well. I'm writing to sincerely thank you for your generous support, which allowed me to attend and present my research at the AACE Conference in Orlando this past weekend. It was such an exciting and meaningful opportunity to share my project titled "*Thyroid Studies Prior to Frozen Embryo Transfer*" with a community of passionate and knowledgeable clinicians.

As a fourth-year medical student preparing to begin my OB/GYN residency in June at UCLA, I am deeply passionate about advancing reproductive endocrinology, particularly in the field of infertility. The opportunity to present at a national conference not only affirmed the importance of my research but also allowed me to engage with experts and gain valuable feedback that will help shape my future work.

I am especially drawn to optimizing care in fertility clinics, where patients often face emotionally and financially taxing journeys. Your support made it possible for me to contribute to this important conversation and deepen my commitment to compassionate, evidence-based care for this population.

Thank you again for believing in and investing in students like myself. Your foundation's generosity has made a meaningful impact on my academic and professional development, and I hope to pay it forward through my future work as a physician.

With sincere appreciation,
Lisette Collins