



Planned Parenthood[®] of Greater Iowa

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Dear Friend,

These are frightening times for all of us.

Every day, our televisions bring news of budget cuts to programs for the needy, increased rates in infant mortality, child abuse and teenage parents. We watch as our heroes and our childrens' heroes fall victim to AIDS and other insidious diseases.

We're all looking for answers. Planned Parenthood of Greater Iowa can provide some of them.

This year, Planned Parenthood of Greater Iowa will provide quality reproductive health care to more than 1,250 women from a six-county area at the Spencer Center. The center also provides information to parents about how to talk openly to their children about sexuality. The caring professionals at the Spencer center are ready with honest answers about changing bodies and responsible decision-making for young people.

We can't just close our eyes and hope that the rising incidence of teenage pregnancy will go away. All the wishing in the world won't make cervical cancer, AIDS, sexually transmitted diseases and abortion go away.

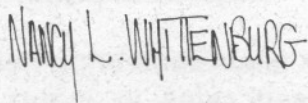
These aren't pretty words - it is distressing to hear them when our minds are thinking about spending the holiday season with our families. These are things the people at Planned Parenthood of Greater Iowa must face every day. And they need your help to continue providing some of the answers to these troubling times, right here in the Spencer area.

Eighty-nine percent of the clients who receive services at the Spencer Center of Planned Parenthood of Greater Iowa pay little or none of the costs of the services they receive. PPGI is dedicated to making sure every woman receives quality reproductive health care if she needs it, regardless of her income level. So you can see why your generous support is needed.

Won't you please join me in supporting the efforts of Planned Parenthood of Greater Iowa? Your gift will be used right here, in the Spencer area, to continue providing health care and educational services to our community.

Thank you. Your help will make this a bright season of hope for all of us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "NANCY L. WHITTENBURG". The letters are in all caps and have a cursive, flowing style. The signature is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

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