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To Whom it may  
Concern:

I have been able to call on Liz Killean at RIFN for almost 20 yrs. Not only is she an excellent resource for information, phone numbers & contacts, the moral support & sense of security provided is indispensable.

~~She~~ Liz has helped me in many situations concerning DHS & medicaid. In one instance DHS sent me a letter saying I was no longer eligible for medicaid after I had ~~just been~~ re certified! People ~~were~~ trying to call DHS were on hold for 6-7 hours, or waiting in lines for

similar lengths of time if they went in person. LIZ was able to connect with DHS & correct their mistake. It was a very stressful situation.

In another instance I was being charged a co-pay by a physical therapy company. When I finally asked LIZ about this she made ~~me~~ me aware that I couldn't be charged co-pays by anyone bc I was on QMB. It took over a year, many phone calls to many different people & a lot of aggravation, but I was finally refunded over \$400 that had been over-charged. Without LIZ's calm assertiveness & resistance I would've been unable to accomplish this on my own.

RIPN provides an invaluable service to those that need help the most. Stay Dandy