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Dear Dr. Wells,

On the eve of PAIN IN EUROPE X: *Bringing Pain Relief to All Patients*, we share compliments and support for your 10th Congress of the European Pain Federation (EFIC®).

We extend special thanks to you for the strong and friendly collaboration that you have shared with us; essential ingredients through which common initiatives are born!

As the mission of our respective societies continue to intersect, those of us serving the World Institute of Pain® express our wish to collaborate in the future, as we have on past occasions, on important pain topics such as physician certification, the Societal Impact of Pain, common educational targets, and global standards for the diagnosis and treatment of chronic pain syndromes.

May our mutual service for the sake of *bringing pain relief to all patients* realize greater gains in pain education, research, and clinical outcomes management.

With best regards,

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