

March 24, 2016

Lexington Medical Center
PO Box 100273
Columbia SC 29202

To Whom It May Concern:

Reference: 20161380 Billing Gwendolyn Pittman

My mother Gwendolyn B. Pittman received medical care at Lexington Medical Center on 11/14/2015 and was billed out of pocket \$110.67 on 03/14/16. As I have POA for my mother's care and all related documents have been presented to Lexington Medical Center in the past. I have requested medical records for this care, for my review. I understand a secondary company manages distribution of these records and requests a per page fee. In that my mother's care was contracted with Lexington Medical Center and her request of all documents related to her care are required by law and HIPPA, as an informed consumer, my mother's right to make decisions of her health are impaired by this application of fees. My mother is retired and on a fixed income. She is a widow of a WWII veteran.

Are you seriously passing on cost to the elderly...arbitrarily?

The balance owed will be paid in full when I receive in full her medical records for this care.

Sincerely,



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Cc: Governor Nikki R. Haley ✓
Congressman James E. Clyburn
Senator Tim Scott
Senator Lindsey Graham