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Dear Dr. Fauci,

I have been reading about your efforts to learn quickly about COVID-19, and subsequently educate the American public about its risks. I wanted to say how grateful I am for your expertise, perseverance and candor.

Updates about what Americans should do to keep safe, and understanding what may be deemed risky for personal and community health, are greatly needed in these days of information (and possibly misinformation) overload. Giving American people current information and clear, updated guidance is the best way to create grassroots, coordinated, widespread effort, while the CDC, NIH, and other government health organizations organize the tops-down approaches to regional screening, emergency care, and COVID-19 research/testing for hopeful vaccination or treatment protocols.

I'm very relieved and assured to have strong voices of reason, experience, and merit helping 'us' navigate these murky waters. I'm grateful for your courage.

Thank you again.

Kate Dickman