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It's been a heartbreaking week for our country, and the tragedy in Boston has weighed heavily on all of our hearts in recent days.

We often think of our families in times of adversity, and this week, I've been thinking of you. Times like these are hard on people at Children's because of how deeply we care about others. You all are helpers. The good guys.

Your empathy and your compassion are what make you so good at the work you do. But times like these can be disheartening or even frustrating, because all we want to do is help.

We have reached out to our colleagues at Boston Children's to offer them our help and support. Our Trauma team has sent food to the Emergency department staff. And we will continue to do everything we can to support Boston and our peers who are working to heal so many.

The unspeakable tragedies of this week have been difficult to watch, but for me, they have affirmed that our work is the most important work there is. I am so proud of the work you do and our commitment to kids.

Donna