



GREAT LAKES
Expungement
NETWORK

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To Whom It May Concern,

On behalf of GLEN (Great Lakes Expungement Network), I am writing to express our strong support for the Michigan Health Improvement Alliance (MiHIA) and their application for [insert grant name]. MiHIA is a trusted backbone organization serving 14 counties across central and eastern Michigan, known for its leadership in advancing health equity and economic opportunity through collaborative, data-informed strategies.

GLEN and MiHIA share a commitment to addressing barriers to economic wellbeing—such as criminal record expungement—which are recognized as critical social determinants of health. Our partnership was formed around a mutual understanding that expanding access to expungement services in the Great Lakes Bay Region would directly support the region's strategic goals for health and prosperity.

As part of this collaboration, GLEN is committed to providing its no-cost expungement services to at least **75 individuals** in the Great Lakes Bay Region. We believe this effort will significantly enhance MiHIA's initiative by removing legal barriers to employment, housing, and stability—key factors in improving long-term health outcomes.

GLEN fully supports MiHIA's grant application and looks forward to deepening our partnership to create a more equitable and thriving future for Michigan residents.

Sincerely,

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