## American Lymphedema Framework Project

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The Honorable Maria Cantwell 511 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

On behalf of the American Lymphedema Framework Project, we are writing to inform you that our organization offers its endorsement of S.518, The Lymphedema Treatment Act.

We recognize the importance of this initial step in standardizing and providing diagnosis, treatment and education to patients with, or at risk for, lymphedema.

We support patient adherence to the treatment plan through the provision of necessary medical supplies for use in the home.

We envision a standardized level of care for patients with lymphedema, and look forward to future collaborative efforts.

Sincerely yours,

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