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Mr. Mark Warner
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Dear Senator Warner,

I read this letter from the stage to the 700 attendees of the Peninsula4Life Dinner. I'd love to talk with you in person. I met you once when you were governor. A lot has changed since then.

I'm sorry you weren't able to attend the Peninsula4Life Dinner or join me for a tour of our clinic. You've had a lot to say about us recently so I thought you might want to meet some of us dangerous purveyors of hate in person.

Hopefully this letter clarifies a few misconceptions you have about pregnancy centers. You might not like what you read, so my one request is that you call me before sending the FBI to my house.

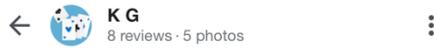
You accused Care Net Peninsula of being an "anti-choice fake clinic" that preys on women. In your view abortion is a simple procedure. Akin to mole removal and anyone or anyplace who complicates the decision must be an anti-science purveyor of misinformation and hate.

With all due respect, you're dead wrong. An abortion decision is anything but simple. Tragically, just a few weeks ago a woman from Hampton was sitting in a Planned Parenthood parking lot with the father of her baby. Despite his insistence, she could not bring herself to abort their baby. So he murdered her. It's impossible to imagine a horrific incident like this occurring outside of a dermatologist's office.

That's because women facing unplanned pregnancies often feel overwhelmed and scared. We're proud to provide a safe place she can go to process her decision and hear the truth about abortion. We offer options counseling, pregnancy tests, STI testing, Ultrasounds, parenting support, maternity clothes, diapers, baby clothes and supplies, partnership referrals, adoption referrals, church mentorship, and post-abortion support.

Oh, and we do it all for free thanks to the generosity of the Care Net family. And the attendees at 2022 Peninsula4Life Dinner.

And if you're wondering how our clients feel about our dangerous predations, Here's one of our nearly 100% 5-star reviews that you convinced Google to hide from women in our community.



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I bought my little sister because she was scared from a previous experience going alone but Alcove health center, took the time to comfort and truly care for my sister's situation and handled her with love and professionalism. The services are free, and they off a lot of help. On top of that the lovely staff made it easy and completely dignified. I truly appreciate the wonderful Staff that work here and their above and beyond attitude.Thank you guys so much for everything! 💕💕💕

Good job team. Your work speaks for itself. By the way, we're Alcove Health too. That's the name for the clinic we operate as Care Net Peninsula.

Senator, the barrage of attacks on Pregnancy Centers has had the opposite effect from what I think you intended. The Care Net family of local churches, donors, volunteers and staff has grown over 44%, just in the past 2 years. Their generosity has equipped our ministry to make strategic investments in Digital Marketing, new services like STI testing, even a new building (more on that later).

What's more, the constant threat of Google shutting us down has made us savvy social media marketers, bloggers, and Youtubers. All together we're reaching 16,000 women PER MONTH with our content. Thanks for the extra motivation.

The results of all this speak for themselves. Check it out.



Each of these stats represents a record high and between 30-50% growth YOY.

There is one problem you helped create that we weren't expecting. We've grown so much that we're running out of space at our current facility. We're thrilled to serve every client God would send our way. It's critical that we offer same-day or next-day appointments, so we can meet with women before Carafem mails the abortion pills to their house after a 15 minute virtual visit.

So, in June, Care Net Peninsula made a big move. We bought a new building, the future home of our ministry. We own the property and now we're raising the funds we need to turn this 1970s office building into a permanent place to serve local moms.

You might not be excited, but we sure are. I'll reach back out next summer and maybe we can do a tour of our new clinic.

Praying for you to know Christ personally, and that you might one day advocate for and not against preborn babies in our state.

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Ryan Holloway
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Care Net Peninsula