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Dear Friend,

We are writing to inform you that the University of Cincinnati Foundation—which receives donations on behalf of the University of Cincinnati and UC Health—was notified in July 2020 of a data security incident at Blackbaud, a third-party vendor. Blackbaud provides technology support, including accounting software, donor and alumni databases and hosting services to non-profit institutions across the world, including the UC Foundation.

The incident, discovered by Blackbaud in May 2020, included the unauthorized acquisition of some UC Foundation donor and vendor information hosted by Blackbaud. The data set included names and may have included basic contact information for those who have had a financial transaction with us. Credit card numbers, social security numbers, bank account information, or similar high-risk data, were protected in encrypted fields. In the unlikely event that we held data like this of yours, please know it was not exposed.

Based on the information provided by Blackbaud, a separate Blackbaud database that records more detailed information about our alumni and donors was not accessed. We therefore believe there is no risk to you as a result of this incident.

The UC Foundation is working with Blackbaud to address these issues and to understand steps it will take to remediate the breach and prevent future incidents. We are also reevaluating certain data management practices, including our relationship with Blackbaud and our use of hosted services. For specific information from Blackbaud regarding this security incident, please go to blackbaud.com/securityincident.

We regret any inconvenience this may cause you. Should you have further questions or concerns regarding this matter please do not hesitate to contact the Foundation at ucfoundation@uc.edu.

Donors to UC Health identified through private health information are excluded from any UC Foundation system.

Carrie White

Vice President, Advancement Services

Thomas D. Freeman

Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

P.S. We do not have an email address on record for you. If you would like to receive communications from us in the future via email please send your address to ucfoundation@uc.edu and reference # 66872.

