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Dear Dr. Esteves:

AAALAC International is pleased to convey that the Vall d'Hebron Institut de Recerca (VHIR), 08035 Barcelona, Spain is accredited. Our records show that the Vall d'Hebron Institut de Recerca (VHIR) initially achieved AAALAC International accreditation on February 22, 2023.

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