



March 4, 2008

Macy's East  
151 W. 34<sup>th</sup> Street  
New York, NY 10001

Dear Sherri,

As a Macy's employee resource group, CoBEX (The Committee on the Black Experience) wanted to create programming for its employees that focused on health issues concerning the black population. In partnership with the American Heart Association, Teresa Kennedy came to Macy's East corporate and spoke on the cause and effect of stroke. While we were hoping for an informative program, Dr. Kennedy pleasantly treated us to a lively and interactive event. She went through the causes of stroke, both genetic and otherwise, but added a personal touch by sharing her connection to the topic of stroke through her father's experiences. She has a keen understanding of the stresses associated with our business, having served as Vice President for MTV and VH1, and this connection resonated with our employees. She spoke in depth about the choices and control we as human beings have over our lives, and she gave us options for controlling stress. Once the event was over, although time is always of the essence in corporate society, several employees (including the VP of Human Resources) chose to stay and talk with her.

By popular demand, we are all interested in bringing Dr. Kennedy back so other employees may learn how to uncover and cope with stress. We are very proud to have had this chance to work with Dr. Kennedy and thank both you and her for your time and commitment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Latoya Sherron". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being more prominent.

Latoya Sherron  
Nikole Thomas