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I am writing to ask you to pass Senate Bill 860 - the Mental Health Parity Bill. As a mental health provider, I see everyday how the poor enforcement of the Mental Health Parity law in Oregon impacts my clients. Insurance companies continue to limit access to providers and to the length of therapy sessions which negatively affects people at a time when they are most vulnerable. Imagine how you would feel if your doctor was told he couldn't spend more time with you when you were in crisis if he hadn't gotten prior authorization. I urge you to **STAND UP FOR MENTAL HEALTH**, and support this bill.

Sincerely,

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