

February 11, 2021

Chair, Rep. Tawna Sanchez
House Committee on Behavioral Health

Oregon State Legislature
900 Court Street NE Salem, OR 97301

Dear Rep. Sanchez,

My name is Elizabeth Swan and I am writing in support of HB 2585.

It is a basic necessity that health services are fully accessible to Deaf, HH, DB clients, that there are people working in this field fully trained with cultural, linguistic understanding to be truly able to support Deaf, HH, DB people fully. Passing HB 2585 would be a step towards improved accessibility.

Thank you for listening my testimony, and please vote "yes!" on HB 2585.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Swan