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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

Measure: HB2455

My name is Jules and I am an LPC in a private practice in Multnomah County, Oregon.

I am writing this letter to request you to pass HB2455.

The current practices of insurance companies and the way they are using audits as form of income is abusive and only serves to terrorize those of us trying to help. Therapists should have the right to know what is expected in audits (so we can know how to document in order to pass them). Also, there should be limits placed on audits so that providers dont have to live in fear simply taking insurance, which only serves to aid an already overwhelmed system.

Passing this bill will increase access to care in our state, which would cut down on things like gun violence and substance abuse.

Thank you for your time.