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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure: SB1076

I strongly oppose this bill because this would not be a help to the homeless. They already cannot be refused care at hospitals and ER. This bill would be an overwhelming burden to doctors and other hospital personnel and would take away beds and care from those who are truly need medical attention. I know this because I personally know a doctor who works in an Oregon hospital. Hospitals already have beds in the halls with seriously ill waiting for a room. This absolutely is not the way to deal with our homeless. Please do not let this bill pass.