

Chair Bynum and members of the committee,

My testimony is listed as neutral, but that implies that I am in the middle on HB 3431. I strongly support fully funding the Economic Equity Investment Program and strongly oppose taking funding from Measure 110 programs.

I am testifying as an individual who worked in behavioral health for over 50 years, but now serve on the Washington County Behavioral Health Council. At our last meeting we were briefed on the progress in the county under Measure 110, uniting 19 substance use disorder programs under the one umbrella of the Washington County Behavioral Health Resource Network (BHRN). I attach a list of those programs below.

What was most exciting to me was the breadth of the programs and the fact that this funding had given us resources to expand the power of programs serving populations who had not been fully served in the past. The program also provides support within the network so that new programs get a running start. This means that we can much better address the crisis of behavioral health within our diverse communities. In addition, the emphasis on peer involvement is providing a powerful career path for many in our community. These first steps of crafting a program that works are nearing completion - we are starting to see the results of this funding, as you will hear from many program participants and staff.

I strongly support full funding of the Economic Equity Investment Program. However, if we significantly reduce funding to measure 110 programs emerging answers to the horrific impact of substance use disorder, we work at odds to the very thing we are trying to accomplish.

Thank you for your attention to this issue and for your service,

Carol Greenough, Ph.D.

Washington County Behavioral Health Resource Network (BHRN)

Provider	Type of service	Phone
4D Recovery- O'Rourke Center	Peer delivered services	971-703-4623
The Alano Club	Peer delivered services for hybrid recovery organization & functional fitness, strength training & endurance gym	971-302-6630
Bridges to Change	Substance use treatment, peer delivered services	503-560-7800
Bridges to Change	Mobile outreach	971-246-7065
Mental Health & Addiction Association Oregon MHA AO Prime + Peer Program	E-mail Sean Mahoney smahoney@mhaoforegon.org	
CODA	Substance use treatment, peer delivered services	855-733-2632
Forest Grove Foundation	Supported employment, supported housing	503-662-8433
HIV Alliance Harm Reduction Washington County, OR (washingtoncountyor.gov)	Peer delivered services, syringe exchange, fentanyl strips, naloxone	541-359-7897
Ideal Option	Substance use treatment	877-522-1275
LifeWorks NW	Substance use treatment, peer delivered services, supported employment	503-645-9010
Lutheran Community Services	Substance use treatment, peer delivered services	503-924-2448
Mental Health & Addiction Association Oregon MHA AO	Peer delivered services	503-922-2377
Miracles Club	Peer delivered services for African Americans	503-249-8559
Morrison Child and Family Services	Peer delivered services for parents whose children are involved with Child Welfare	503-258-4381
NW Instituto Latino	Peer delivered services for Latinx individuals	503-719-7609
Phoenix Rising Transitions	Peer delivered services for prison in-reach program	971-645-0446
Sequoia Mental Health	Peer delivered services, supported employment, substance use treatment for adults	503-619-1560
Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center	Substance treatment, peer delivered services	971-724-2840

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