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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

Measure: SB303

I am Dr. Sandra Dreisbach, I have an MA,Phd in Philosophy and Ethics and specialize in Psychedelic Ethics working at state, national and international levels in the space and community and have background in Bioethics teaching last ten years at University. Deeply appreciate you taking the time to read and listen to this testimony.

Oregon voters did not vote for a Psilocybin research program but for equitable access.

This bill not only directly compromises individual rights but also creates new inequities and injustices to those who are most vulnerable and in dire need for these services.

SB303 effectively places a financial and discriminatory road block to access to Oregonians, undermines the ability to function of the few services centers who currently are struggling to establish operations, and could cost people their lives in an unfair and nonconsensual exchange for the cost of the special interests in their information about their private lives.

There absolutely needs to be more research in this field, there is no doubt about that, but let that be the role of our already established research institutions with full informed consent practices and procedures in place in compliance with federal guidelines in cooperation with state rules and regulations for medical research.

I support the arguments raised by Oregon Psilocybin Services Collaborative Community (OSPCC) in their public statement.  
(<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1eUN75Kggq8jqkqm9lfXq3vhJK5PID5LsfBXq8O5PacU/edit>)

I also support arguments brought forward by Mason Marks, MD, JD in his public statement.  
(<https://www.psychedellicweek.com/p/oregon-psychedelic-psilocybin-data-research-bill>)

Imagine yourself in your most desperate hour in your life, expressing your deepest thoughts, fears, tears and regrets as you seek solace and healing from the only place you have access to and not being able to even choose whether those private moments in a psilocybin experience are included in a report. The report may not

have your name on it or your home address, but wouldn't you want to decide?

Please vote against SB303 and in favor of the Oregon citizens rights, wishes, and lives. Thank you for your time and full consideration.

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