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On Behalf Of: Ryan Farwell

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

Measure: HB4130

Chair Nosse, Vice-Chair's Goodwin and Nelson, and Members of the House Committee on Behavioral Health and Health Care:

I write today on behalf of Salem Clinic, in support of the Dash 1 Amendment HB 4130.

The Dash 1 Amendment to HB 4130 updates Oregon's standards regarding the role that corporations can play in the practice of medicine. Its primary aim is to keep the administration of health care "business" on the one hand, from the delivery of health care services on the other.

As this bill was being drafted, great care was taken to engage with providers on the ground to make sure that it did not upend their existing business arrangements that were not the target of the legislation. For that reason, Salem Clinic supports HB 4130 both as introduced, and as modified by the Dash 1 Amendment.

Sincerely,

Ryan Farwell
Administrator, Salem Clinic