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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health
Care

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Topic: HB2143

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Regarding HB 2143

Dear Chair Nosse, Vice Chairs Nelson and Javadi, and Members of the Committee,

I'm testifying and writing in support of Oregon House Bill 2143. As a long time Oregon resident and social worker who has worked with communities and populations that are extremely vulnerable to the opioid crisis, I support this bill. I have personally benefited from 5NP acupuncture treatment and have observed its low impact, low risk efficacy for supporting detox and recovery. I believe that community supported acupuncture can aid in life saving treatment for opioid overdose and intervention. I urge you to vote in favor of HB 2143 in response.

Thank you