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As a physician and owner of a family practice operating under a direct primary care (DPC) model, I strongly support this bill. My practice runs on a subscription-based payment structure, covering all services I provide without billing insurance. This approach allows me to dedicate more time to patient care, improving quality while reducing the administrative burdens that drive up costs in traditional systems.

This bill would support my work by allowing patients to apply their DPC payments toward their insurance deductibles. Recognizing these out-of-pocket expenses would make healthcare more affordable and transparent for patients, ensuring they receive fair credit for the care they invest in. I urge support for this bill to enhance patient choice and affordability in healthcare.