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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

SB61

I strongly encourage you to vote in favor of this bill. OHA's draconian audit/clawback policy has a chilling effect on providers' willingness to hazard treating OHP clients. As it is, Oregonians have very high barriers to mental health care. I certainly would be more comfortable knowing the State supports the provision of such care, versus the current atmosphere of fear. The Federal government is terrifying us all enough these days. Please show us you are on the side of Oregonians with mental health needs, and small business owners such as myself.

Sincerely,

Lark Ryan, LCSW