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I strongly support this requirement for equitable reimbursement of naturopathic physicians. Ensuring that health benefit plans cover services provided by naturopathic doctors on the same terms as those offered by physicians, physician associates, and nurse practitioners is essential for patient choice, access to care, and healthcare equity. Naturopathic physicians undergo rigorous medical training and provide evidence-based, patient-centered care that helps improve outcomes and reduce overall healthcare costs. By covering these services, Oregon will support a more comprehensive, integrative healthcare system that benefits patients and promotes preventive care.