

February 28th, 2025

Dear Chair Patterson, Vice-Chair Hayden, and Members of the Committee,

I'm writing in support of SB 530. My name is Xochitl M. Trionas, and I am a community member. SB 530 will provide critical resources to RHECs so they can continue reducing health inequities by identifying the most important issues impacting priority populations in underserved, rural regions of Oregon. By assessing these barriers through grassroots community engagement, they are able to uplift the voices of their communities to create effective solutions through policy and systems change. The expansion of RHECs will ensure that priority populations all over the state are getting their needs met.

I support this bill because:

A quien corresponda,

Este programa ha tenido un impacto favorable en muchas cosas. Me has informado de programas existentes que no había, aprendido muchas cosas que me has ayudado a mejorar mi calidad de vida. Muchas Gracias y Espero mi testimonio ayude a que otros miembros puedan obtener este tipo de ayudas.

La coalición de equidad de la costa sur en mi opinión es un muy buen programa que se ha esforzado por ayudar a nuestra comunidad con información que nadie se había dado la chance de hacerlo.

This resource is vital to our community and these resources will allow for an immediate increase in Regional Health Equity Coalitions capacity to support them. **I urge you to vote yes on SB 530.**

Excelentes Líderes Muchas Gracias,

Xochitl M. Trionas