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On Behalf Of:

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I oppose assisted suicide in general. Concerning the "Oregon Death with Dignity Act" and SB1003 to make changes to it, I oppose reducing the wait time between oral request and written request for the meds to suicide. I also oppose expanding the authority to write prescriptions for this action to physician assistants, nurse practitioners or any other "providers". I also oppose the move to now allow "owner, operator or employee" or "resident" in a health care facility where the subject individual is, to be one of the minimum two witnesses to that individual's signing of his/her written request.

Dr. Joan Sage.