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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health

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HB2029

Dear Chairman Nosse and Members of the House Committee on Behavioral Health and Health Care:

My name is Bridget and I am an LCSW. I am a trauma therapist in Portland, OR.

I am writing this letter in support of HB2029. Insurance audits are abusive and unfair and limit access to care to the people of Oregon. Please help stop this practice. I worked at a group practice who managed all the insurance logistics, but when I went into private practice I opted to not take insurance at all for fear of audits and clawbacks impacting my income- the gamble was just too much. This limits who I can serve and support.

Thank you for supporting this bill and thank you for all that you do! With kindness,
Bridget