

March 19, 2025

House Committee on Behavioral Health and Health Care Oregon State Legislature 900 Court St NE Salem, OR 97301

RE: Support for HB 2387

Dear Chair Nosse, Vice Chair Javadi, and Vice Chair Nelson,

The Oregon Association of Naturopathic Physicians (OANP) strongly supports HB 2387, the Psilocybin Services Program Improvement Bill. This bill takes important steps to ensure the integrity of the program, improve patient access to these services, and utilize licensed healthcare professionals to the best of their abilities.

Licensed healthcare providers currently cannot safely discuss psilocybin programs with their patients. This puts not only medical professionals but patients at a disadvantage. This bill's proposed changes to the Psilocybin Advisory Board are also vital to ensure that this board is effective and reliable in its advisory role to the OHA. Finally, the requirements around psilocin labeling/disclosure and patient confidentiality during investigations our sensible and necessary to shore up the integrity of this program.

We urge the Committee to support HB 2387 and advance it through the legislative process. Thank you for your leadership in promoting policies that bolster both patient protection and access.

Sincerely,

Legislative & Advocacy Committee Oregon Association of Naturopathic Physicians