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I am writing to you to support HB 3824. I work as a Physical Therapist (PT) in West Linn and make every effort I can to efficiently provide the best care I can for all of my patients. Allowing PT's to prescribe low risk and effective interventions helps save time for our patients, decrease overall healthcare costs, and produce better outcomes by allowing patients to move through the healthcare system more efficiently. Under our current model, patients must make additional appointments and many times wait weeks and months for these visits.

Thank you for considering this measure and the positive impact it can make in our state.

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