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Mental health providers face significant obstacles to self credentialing in Oregon. There are many forms and we are often denied due to obscure processes and confusing documentation. As a practitioner I am unable to provide services to many underserved populations based on the tedious and extremely long process to be credentialed. Streamlining this process would all more access to very much needed mental health services in Oregon. We are facing a mental health crisis here and services are being blocked by poorly designed administrative processes.