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On Behalf Of:  
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Attn: Senate Committee On Health Care  
Re: SB 1598

I am writing in SUPPORT of SB 1598. It seems rather obvious that community health-related recommendations should be based on current scientific understanding and should be available to everyone regardless of their ability to pay out of pocket. Passing this bill is about opening up more opportunities for more Oregonians to choose their own health decisions. It's not about imposing on anyone's beliefs or bodily autonomy.

Please pass this bill in order to expand Oregonian's freedom of choice based on the scientific consensus. Thank you for your time,  
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