Submitter:	Ann Mahoney
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Senate Committee On Health Care
Measure:	SB408

Dear Senators Patterson, Hayden, Bonham, Campos and Gorsek,

I strongly urge you to oppose SB 408. The OHA should NOT be put above any health care provider licensing boards in Oregon. As a group of unelected bureaucrats, the OHA has no right to control the professional scope of practitioners. This attempt to censor and circumvent medical care is a step towards one-size-fits-all, standardized medical care. It could cause tremendous harm by eliminating our ability to make informed choices about medical care for ourselves and our children. We do not need or want the OHA to have this type of involvement in our personal health care decisions!

I know many of my fellow Oregonians, especially health care providers, are also against SB 408. We are watching and expect you to oppose this terrible bill.

Sincerely, Ann Mahoney