

## **Rosenberg Corey**

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Dear Sirs and Madams,

As a mental health practitioner I am intimately and consistently aware of the extent to which physical illness can follow mental and emotional stress and challenges. We are not generally a prevention-oriented society. But I believe that mental health parity will actually benefit insurance companies as well as the citizens of Oregon by helping to prevent physical illness and costly medical interventions.

Thank you,

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