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Please protect dementia and Alzheimer's patients. If a person were incarcerated, withholding either food or water would be illegal according to the 8th amendment. Protests and injunctions would quickly occur, and rightly so. However, under HB 4135, the same actions could be taken with a vulnerable person lacking the capacity to oppose them?!? Oregonians need the protection of the current laws. Thank you.