Good Afternoon, My name is Rebecca Hill and I live in Marion County. I am writing in support of LC 52. I am another of 2 children who experience a disability. My children are living a fullend meaningful life with great aspirations to become a nurse and a movie producer. We have been active in our community pre-COVID and have plans to continue our activities once we can safely do so. However, I am unsure of when that will be. I can not guarantee that my children will receive equal access tithe healthcare they may need if they become ill during this pandemic crisis simply because they experience a disability. How can I be sure that they will be cared for and given access to what healthcare may be needed? With LC 52passed into law would ensure that all people with disabilities would have the needed healthcare and would provide better clarification on the Crisis Care Guidance to remove the presence of a disability as a factor. I want to ask that LC 52 be passed into law so that Oregonians experiencing disabilities can access healthcare with better clarification on the Crisis Care Guidance to have the presence of a disability as a determinant factor in the decision of who gets care, use support from people they trust while they are hospitalized and have support when making end of life decisions.

Thank you,


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