I am writing today to support HB2303. For someone who has a high deductible insurance plan the current system is unfeasible. It costs me around \$250 to get one prescription of pseudoephedrine if I go to my PCP or \$80 and about 3 hours of wait time if I go to Urgent Care. Frankly it makes getting pseudoephedrine unreasonable. I have purchased pseudoephedrine on trips to Washington just to have it on hand, as I'm sure many others have done.

Please support HB2303 and make these pharmaceuticals a "behind the counter" purchase. In Washington and other states a system has been developed where purchases are limited and recorded using an individuals drivers license and signature. Why can't we have a similar system here? Why do we have to make it so hard to get this medicine?

I absolutely believe that this bill will make this product more affordable for the average Oregonian and bring Oregon in line with most of the US on how these products are dispensed without affecting the amount of meth available in our state.

Thank you,

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