

To Chairs Monnes-Anderson and Committee Members,

I urge you to support SB-770. It is time to move forward and end financial and personal burdens of insurance care. We need a single payer in Oregon and in this nation. People need insurance they can afford and actually works. In a medical emergency we do not have time to shop around for best costs to see if a hospital or doctor or other health care professional is in our net work.

I would be happy to share how the high cost of insurance led to the inability to get insurance when it was needed and how a medical emergency impacted my family in a devastating way, Just let me know.

Again, I urge you to support SB-770 it is time for positive change to happen.

Sincerely,

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