



February 6, 2020

Chair Andrea Salinas
House Committee on Health Care

Support for HB 4110

Dear Chair Salinas and Committee Members,

I write today in support of HB 4110 with the -1 amendment. Cambia Health Solutions offers individual health plans to Oregon consumers through our Regence BlueCross BlueShield and Bridgespan brands. While our individual plans have always offered a 30-day grace period to make a premium payment, we are encouraged by this effort to require all health plans to allow consumers this time to make their premium payments without losing their health insurance coverage.

We appreciate all discussion and efforts done by the interim workgroup lead by Insurance Commissioner Andrew Stolfi. The result is legislation where health plan carriers, Oregon regulators, consumer advocates and insurance brokers found compromise on individual premium payment grace periods and delinquency notice language. We hope to continue that momentum and work together in the rulemaking process.

Cambia is a locally grown total health solutions company that is dedicated to transforming the way people experience health care by working to find solutions in areas where consumers are more likely to experience gaps in coverage. We will continue to support reasonable initiatives that support the Oregon individual health insurance market.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments and support to HB 4110.

Sincerely,

Vince Porter