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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

Measure: HB2697

My name is Dr. Elie Cole, DAOM (Doctor of acupuncture and Chinese medicine) in Milwaukie, OR.

I urge you to vote for the Safe Staffing Bill HB 2697.

As a patient and as a worker, I know everyone is better off when we don't cut corners with short staffing. Healthcare isn't a place to cut corners or squeeze nurses into handling too many cases.

I have many patients in my practice who are nurses that are really suffering. I know that we will continue to lose good nurses if these harsh conditions aren't changed.

That's why I urge you to pass HB 2697