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I am an Alumni of Oxford House 7th and Lyons

I am opposed to bill HB 2239

The certification process and standards of Oxford House Incorporated should be held on equal footing as the NARR certification.

I believe there to be a great need for several different Recovery Housing options in the State of Oregon. Oxford House and the true Democratic, Self Supportive Model, of one person in recovery helping another. Oxford saved my life 7 years ago. The model works the way it is. We have a much higher success rate then other recovery programs. Don't mess with what is working. We are self governing. We give back to the community. We are self supporting. We hold ourselves accountable. We have by far more recovery beds than any other program in Oregon, across the nation, and the globe. Thank you for not passing this legislation.