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I am a current member/ resident at the Oxford House in Redmond, Oregon

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 greater need for several different Recovery Housing options in the State of Oregon. As far as I can tell there are not a lot of options for sober living at this point. We receive countless applications from people looking to be a part of the program. Oxford House and the true Democratic, Self Supportive Model, of one person in recovery helping another was and continues to be a life changing opportunity for several throughout the State of Oregon. I can personally attest to the Oxford House model being a huge steppingstone, and positive reinforcement to my sobriety. It has held me accountable and helped me to further my life in recovery. As well as my p