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Senate Committee on Health Care  
Oregon State Senate  
900 Court St. NE  
Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Chair Patterson and Members of the Committee,

My name is Hilary Basco and I am writing today in support of Senate Bill 1598 and evidence-based practices in our state. I am a pediatrician and have been practicing for more than 20 years at the Broadway Medical Clinic in Portland, Oregon. Over recent months, I have heard from many families who are worried that their access to immunizations could be compromised in the future. Ensuring access to immunizations is so very important to me because vaccines save lives!

I urge your support of Senate Bill 1598.  
This bill is an important step to ensure Oregonians have the choice to access vaccines.

Sincerely yours,

Hilary R. Basco, MD