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This would be a dangerous change for our already high acuity patients. The push to put profits before people is unacceptable. I also think this will drive nurses to leave the acute care setting at a time when we are already facing national shortages. Many nurses have verbalized to me that they stay in Oregon because they would have to take higher patient loads in other states. Can Oregon really afford more strain on its Healthcare system?