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Subject: Comment in support of RIN 1210-AB30

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I am writing to support the interim final rule under the Paul Wellstone and Pete Domenici Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008 (RIN 1210-AB30).

This strong rule is necessary to prohibit insurance companies from charging higher copayments, deductibles, and other out-of-pocket expenses for mental health treatment than they would for other physical health care.

Many thanks for working to ensure that mental health care and physical health care coverage are included in a single deductible.

Sincerely,

George D Wilson