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I submit to you my comments regarding your pending decision regarding new rules governing women's preventive health care. Thank you for this opportunity.

I join with the American Association of University Women (AAUW) in asking you to accept the recommendations of the Institute of Medicine as pertain to coverage of preventive care under the new health care law, and to reject any exemptions for "religious employers." These preventive services are a critical element of the new law and would provide countless women better access to necessary health care.

Religion has no role in governance. It should not be a factor nor have a role in any law or regulation. I ask you reject any attempt to insert religion into any law or regulation. I urge you to ensure women have access to quality preventive care by accepting IOM's recommendations and rejecting the proposed religious refusal exemption provisions.

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