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I am a medical student 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).

It is important for my patients to be protected from insurance companies charging more for mental health treatment than for other physical health care.

Thank you for ensuring that mental health care and physical health care coverage are included in a single deductible.

Sincerely,

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