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To: EBSA, E-OHPSCA - EBSA

Subject: Comment in support of RIN 1210-AB30

April 25, 2010

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).

As many know, people who suffer mental illnesses often also suffer from misunderstanding and disinterest from the general population; we must protect those unfortunate people who must confront the double jeopardy of not only public disdain regarding mental illness but also insurance company unfairness.

I support the strong rule that would forbid 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. Thank you for ensuring that mental health care and physical health care coverage are included in a single deductible.

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