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There should be complete parity with physical health issues in all health plans. There should be no more discrimination in acceptance or issuance of a policy than exists for physical health.

This must be mandated for all insurance companies.

Current practices are way too limiting and preclude people from getting the help they need. Costs can be mitigated by promoting prevention campaigns and by various marketing devices i. e. credits for good health, responding to treatment, etc.

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