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Dear Senator Wiklund and Members of the Senate Health and Human Services Committee,

Please accept our sincere gratitude for including SF3705 or the "Any Willing Provider" legislation in your committee's omnibus bill. This is a monumental step forward for mental healthcare access in Minnesota.

The inclusion of this critical measure will undoubtedly save lives and significantly improve the health and well-being of countless Minnesotans. By ensuring that patients can access the care they need from any qualified provider, this legislation breaks down arbitrary barriers that have long prevented vulnerable individuals from receiving timely and essential services. This will be particularly impactful in areas where specialized care is limited, or for patients with complex mental health medical needs who rely on specific providers.

This common-sense policy promotes competition, choice, and most importantly, puts the patient first by allowing them to choose the provider they trust. We believe this will lead to better health outcomes across the state.

Thank you again for your leadership, foresight, and commitment to improving healthcare for all Minnesotans through the inclusion of this vital legislation. We look forward to seeing this measure signed into law.

Sincerely

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