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Senate Health & Human Services Committee
Colorado General Assembly
200 E. Colfax Ave.
Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: HB23-1215 Limits on Hospital Facility Fees

Dear Madame Chair, Madame Vice Chair, and Committee Members:

Thank you for the opportunity for the Colorado Center on Law and Policy (CCLP) to submit written testimony in strong support of House Bill 23-1215, Limits on Hospital Facility Fees. CCLP is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the fight against poverty in Colorado. As part of this work, CCLP fights to promote access to affordable health care for low-income Coloradans. Facility fees are concerning to CCLP because high, unexpected out-of-pocket medical costs threaten households' economic stability and prevent Colorado patients from accessing needed health care.

Coloradans need and deserve more transparency and guardrails when it comes to health care costs. The majority of Coloradans report uncertainty about their ability to pay for even routine health care expenses.ⁱ And nearly 4 in 10 Americans report they would not be able to cover an unexpected \$400 expense without taking measures such as incurring credit card debt or borrowing money from friends or family.ⁱⁱ Facility fees routinely exceed \$400, placing everyday Coloradans at risk of financial distress and its many cascading impacts.

Further, despite inflation and fluctuations in the market, Colorado hospitals' finances remain remarkably healthy, according to data from the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing published earlier this year.ⁱⁱⁱ In Q3 of 2022, Colorado hospital systems reported robust cash-on-hand reserves, including Centura Common Spirit (\$15.2 billion), Centura Advent (\$6.3 billion), SCL/Intermountain (\$11.1 billion), Banner Health (\$8.7 billion), and UCHealth (\$5.1 billion). The size of these reserves — even following a decrease in profits in 2022 due to investment losses felt across industries — can be attributed to the staggeringly high profits that Colorado hospitals, including nonprofit hospitals, have reported in recent years. For example, in 2021, in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic, nonprofit hospital Centura Common Spirit reported \$3.0 billion in profits; SCL reported \$2.2 billion in profits; and UCHealth reported \$1.1 billion in profits. These data indicate that it simply not necessary for hospitals to charge patients facility fees for preventative care visits and telehealth visits in order to “keep the lights on.”



HB23-1215 as amended would gather critical data about facility fees, promote transparency in a uniquely opaque industry, and establish common-sense protections from unexpected fees charged for telehealth and preventative services. The bill is an important step towards a health care system that works for working Coloradans.

CCLP emphatically urges the Committee to vote yes on HB23-1126. Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

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ⁱ Perry Udem and Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. *Results from a Statewide Survey: How Coloradans Feel about Affordability and Healthcare Reform*. March 2022.
<https://cohealthinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/CO-affordability-survey-brief-2022.pdf>

ⁱⁱ Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. *Dealing with Unexpected Expenses: Report on the Economic Well-Being of U.S. Households in 2019*. May 2020.
<https://www.federalreserve.gov/publications/2020-economic-well-being-of-us-households-in-2019-dealing-with-unexpected-expenses.htm>

ⁱⁱⁱ Colorado Department of Health Policy & Financing. *Hospital Insights Bulletin 2023*. January 2023.
<https://hcpf.colorado.gov/sites/hcpf/files/Hospital%20Insights%20Bulletin%202023.pdf>

**Testimony as Submitted in support of HB23-1215: Limits on Hospital Facility Fees by Hunter Nelson,
Policy Analyst at the Colorado Children’s Campaign**

Senate Health & Human Services Committee

April 27, 2023, 1:30pm

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Dear Madam Chair and members of the committee,

My name is Hunter Nelson, and I am a Policy Analyst at the Colorado Children’s Campaign. Together with our partner organizations and communities across the state, we advocate for the development and implementation of data-driven public policy that improves child and family well-being. We fight for a world in which, without exception, public policies and investments remove barriers for most impacted children and families and improve well-being for every child and every family. The Children’s Campaign supports HB23-1215 “Limits on Hospital Facility Fees.”

Hospital facility fees place significant financial burdens on families with children and are increasingly being added to bills for diagnostic testing and routine health care. The National Academy of State Health Policy, a nonpartisan health policy organization, has done significant research on the detrimental impacts of hospital facility fees on patients, and even developed model legislation for states to adopt to limit these fees.¹ Facility fees for care of more serious health needs have increased by 77% nationally, and by 66% in Colorado.² These extra costs affect the financial security of Colorado families, which in turn affects the well-being of their children. This bill would improve transparency and support research on facility fees in Colorado. It also would limit facility fees for telehealth and no-cost preventive care.

About 60% of Coloradans report that they do not think their health care costs are very affordable.³ In 2021, more than 10% of Coloradans reported having trouble paying their medical bills. Facility fees exacerbate this issue. Coloradans who have less flexibility to choose when and where they go to the doctor are more likely to have to pay facility fees. Parents who do not get paid leave from their employers, many working in lower-wage jobs, are more likely to seek medical care at urgent care facilities and other hospital-affiliated clinics that are open at times when they do not have to be at work. This means they are even more likely to be burdened by expensive facility fees.

Families who seek care through telehealth are also subject to hospital facility fees. Families are often caught off-guard by a hospital facility fee tacked onto medical bills for telehealth visits because they were not physically present in a health care facility. This unexpected cost can be significant for low- and middle-income households.

The Children’s Campaign has heard stories from people in our network about the financial and emotional strain that can result from facility fees. People are charged these fees when seeking both

¹ <https://nashp.org/nashp-model-state-legislation-to-prohibit-unwarranted-facility-fees/>

² [Shockingly High Facility Fees Create Financial Burden for Consumers – Colorado Consumer Health Initiative \(cohealthinitiative.org\)](https://cohealthinitiative.org/shockingly-high-facility-fees-create-financial-burden-for-consumers-colorado-consumer-health-initiative)

³ 2022 RWJF Health Care Affordability Survey.

needed pediatric and perinatal care. We have heard of people delaying or skipping important care because of the potential for receiving a bill for a facility fee.

HB23-1215 takes critical steps toward further understanding the impact of hospital facility fees in Colorado, increasing access to care and reducing financial burden on families across Colorado. **Please vote yes on HB23-1215.**

Thank you,

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Madam Chair and members of the Committee, Centennial State Prosperity supports House Bill 1215 on behalf of our over 16,000 members.

Hardworking Coloradans are being charged hidden medical fees ranging from hundreds to thousands of dollars out-of-pocket, often exceeding the cost of the medical care itself. There is no transparency for patients to understand when these fees will be charged or the amount they will be - making it impossible for families to budget, or plan for, their family's healthcare expenses. These fees leave many Coloradans struggling to afford medical care and hesitant to seek the treatment they need.

[81% of Coloradans want to see these fees limited and six in ten say they would struggle to pay an unexpected medical expense of \\$500.](#) Coloradans have strongly voiced their frustration with these fees through online reviews:

Shanna visited Children's Hospital Colorado South Campus, Highlands Ranch, when their child needed a hearing test. They say, "My child completed a hearing test with audiology and when I received the Explanation of Benefits there was a \$100 charge listed. **I called insurance and they stated that the hearing test was preventative services** and was not charged anything but Children's Hospital charged an "outpatient services fee" for using the facility/hospital. **I was not informed of this fee and should have been told at the time of the appointment.**"

Janice from Arapahoe County says, "We quit going to Children's 4 years ago when **we couldn't get a good estimate of costs and were faced with a \$1500 bill.**"

Bryan from Teller County received a facility fee **on routine annual lab work** done at UCHealth Pikes Peak Regional in Woodland Park and said, "My insurer said they covered the tests. UC Health said my insurer would cover the tests. And then I got a bill from UC for more than \$663 because of tacked on "Hospital fees".

Rebecca visited Centura Littleton Adventist Hospital and said, "As of January 1st, for every doctor's office appointment the patient is charged an extra \$400. Insurance won't pay it. So as a patient, I had a five minute follow up appointment with my doctor, paid my office visit copay and then **later received a bill for an extra 'facilities fee' of \$400. I was NEVER notified this change would be happening** and I discourage everyone from visiting this hospital or its associated doctors offices."

Bruno from Weld County visited UCHealth Longmont Clinic **for lab work** and said, "I was charged \$2000 for lab work, they said insurance did not cover it. \$1000 for

physicians lab analysis and another \$1000 for a facility lab fee. This is outrageous! **No wonder people can't afford decent health care even with insurance!**"

HB1215 will place common sense limits on facility fees, ensure that consumers receive transparency so they can make informed decisions about their health care, and ensure the gathering of much needed information so Coloradans can better understand how this hidden practice is impacting hardworking Coloradans. Centennial State Prosperity along with the 2,539 Coloradans below urges you to vote YES on HB1215.

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1350. STEPHEN K, Lafayette	1372. Emma B, Fort Collins	1393. Alice V, Colorado Springs
1351. Katherine F, Aurora	1373. Amber M, Aurora	1394. regina J, Denver
1352. McGuire S, Denver	1374. Kasey P, Pagosa Springs	1395. Alex T, Longmont
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1354. Diana C, Aurora	1376. Smriti P, Westminster	1397. Corey L, Fort Collins
1355. Gregg H, Carbondale	1377. Veronique A, Denver	1398. Beth B, Parker
1356. Katherine G, Pueblo	1378. Susan G, Denver	1399. Roberta L, Lakewood
1357. Gregg B, Pueblo	1379. Jerry M, Englewood	1400. Barbara H, Eagle
1358. Kelly N, Frederick	1380. stephanie s, Castle Pines	1401. Shawn Monique M, Denver
1359. V B, Westminster	1381. Cynthia M, Denver	1402. Nancy B, Greeley
1360. Jarina L, Castle Rock	1382. Lisa M, Arvada	1403. Nick S, Denver
1361. Linda P, Colorado Springs	1383. Bryna B, Denver	1404. Fizzy R, Denver
1362. Janet K, Littleton	1384. Clyde H, New	1405. Alyssa H, Falcon

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1410. Diana W, Pueblo
1411. Jean M, Aurora
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1416. Whitney H, Colorado Springs
1417. Elizabeth L, Highlands Ranch
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1451. diane b, Denver
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1455. Kim P, Littleton
1456. Ricky V, La Salle
1457. Kaelyn B, Falcon
1458. Victoria T, Lakewood
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1464. Rami D, Fort Collins
1465. Breanna M, Conifer
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1468. Tony L, Denver
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1490. JoAnne H, Denver	1512. G K, Colorado Springs	1533. Tammie w, Evans
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		1536. Kathleen G,

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1537. Jerry G, Delta
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1541. Shirley J, Del Norte
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Collins
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Lakewood
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Colorado Springs
1557. suzanne k,
Livermore
1558. Andrea D,
Colorado Springs
1559. Rhianna L,
Northglenn
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1561. Robert R, Denver
1562. Ann C, Colorado
Springs
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1564. PAM p, Aurora
1565. Austin U, Colorado
Springs
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1568. Deirdre M, Greeley
1569. David R, Denver
1570. Bella L,
Westminster
1571. Debbie R,
Longmont
1572. Asher D, Colorado
Springs
1573. Ashley M, Loveland
1574. Edwina S, Brighton
1575. Raeonna T,
Colorado Springs
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Rock
1577. Anahi O, Evans
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Thornton
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Northglenn
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Collins
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1594. Candy C, Pueblo
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1597. Corena B,
Saguache
1598. Rebekah O,
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Littleton

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1668. Joshua C, Denver

1669. Angela G,
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1670. Wendy M,
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1671. Jeanne F,
Westminster

1672. Adam L, Evans

1673. Kelly F,
Westminster

1674. Molly T, Denver

1675. Arval B, Colorado
Springs

1676. Zoe P, Brookside

1677. Valeria M, Denver

1678. Solei J, Fort Collins

1679. Qiyra M, Longmont

1680. Alyssa E, Denver

1681. Seth P, Littleton

1682. Kristina G,
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1683. Melanie S,
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1684. Ally H, Colorado
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1685. ash M, Castle Rock

1686. Sajadea H,
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Colorado Springs

1688. Nicholas M,
Thornton

1689. Tammy T, Colorado
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1690. Braydon N, Aurora

1691. Danielle S, Sanford

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1694. Bonnie H, Colorado
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1696. Katherine K,
Denver

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Colorado Springs

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Collins

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Carbondale

1710. Tavonne J, Denver

1711. Tatiana O,
Colorado Springs

1712. aj t, Montrose

1713. v c, Centennial

1714. Kathy M, Denver

1715. Wesley S,
Commerce City

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1717. DONNA S, Fort
Collins

1718. Jody H, Aspen

1719. Lauren M, Denver

1720. Manuel M,
Colorado Springs

1721. Lacy C, Littleton

1722. Aviane A, Colorado
Springs

1723. Kim R, Fort Collins

1724. Jean W, Denver

1725. shawn B, Colorado Springs
1726. Noah S, Pueblo
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1781. Natalya P, Centennial
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1783. Hannah T, Denver
1784. Kathy H, Colorado Springs
1785. Carrie D, Foxfield
1786. Jim W, Colorado Springs

1787. charlton W,
Loveland

1788. Taylor M, Colorado
Springs

1789. Megan W, Fleming

1790. Hellen T, Greeley

1791. Alexis G,
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1792. Rachel C, Brighton

1793. Maria F, Parker

1794. Kimberly N,
Boulder

1795. Troy F, Denver

1796. Jerry P, Boulder

1797. Alison T,
Carbondale

1798. Ailene V, Castle
Rock

1799. Mark L, Denver

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1802. Larry G, Thornton

1803. Tommy S, Pueblo

1804. Claudia K, Denver

1805. Jess S, Arvada

1806. adam I, Pueblo

1807. M K, Castle Pines

1808. Kathy W, Aurora

1809. Devin D, Colorado
Springs

1810. Ashley M, Eaton
Collins

1811. Syah B, Denver

1812. Carter B, Aurora

1813. Amber R, Aurora

1814. Madison K,
Greeley

1815. Deborah B, Estes
Park

1816. Lilly M, Greeley

1817. Kindall J, Canon
City

1818. Hiltrud A, Denver

1819. Jorge M, Denver

1820. Jill B, Windsor

1821. Cali M, Colorado
Springs

1822. Cora Lee B,
Colorado Springs

1823. Willow E,
Centennial

1824. Patricia O, Colo
Spgs

1825. Jasmine G,
Thornton

1826. Massiel O, Denver

1827. Lilly S, Thornton

1828. Vicki B, Boulder

1829. Dirk K, Arvada

1830. Scott P, Las Animas

1831. Melody W, Fort
Collins

1832. Zoey W, Canon City

1833. Diana A, Colorado
Springs

1834. Chara N, Colorado
Springs

1835. Jennifer S,
Nederland

1836. Betty H, Littleton

1837. johnie c, Denver

1838. Jason R, Grand
Junction

1839. Lori T, Greenwood
Village

1840. Rosa H, Aurora

1841. Dayla G, Colorado
Springs

1842. Jennifer C,
Lakewood

1843. Miranda L,
Thornton

1844. Ariel B, Colorado
Springs

1845. Alexis T, Aurora

1846. Pamela F, Fort
Collins

1847. Alexis H, Highlands
Ranch

1848. Louis A, Pueblo

1849. Donna B, Fountain

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1853. Mario Q, Commerce City
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1884. Jessica M, Wheat Ridge
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1888. Dale I, Arvada
1889. Jesse a, Denver
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1894. Jacob B, Grand Junction
1895. Brandon H, Commerce City
1896. Jill G, Craig
1897. Katherine D, Denver
1898. Steve O, Englewood
1899. Christine K, Aurora
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1901. Robbie W, Greeley
1902. Josh W, Fountain
1903. Leah L, Thornton
1904. Richard M, Englewood
1905. Melissa M, Grand Junction
1906. Larry B, Wellington
1907. Arnzie T, Denver
1908. James B, Lafayette
1909. Olivia K, Denver
1910. F M, Steamboat Springs
1911. Casey R, Lafayette

1912. Shirley T, La Junta
1913. Bethany C, Denver
1914. Max Y, Denver
1915. teresa I, Denver
1916. Cindy U, Superior
1917. Timothy T, Castle
Rock
1918. Eve T, Denver
1919. Coleman C,
Loveland
1920. Sarah L, Olathe
1921. Olivia H, Colorado
Springs
1922. Yeto S, Arvada
1923. Nicole S, Wheat
Ridge
1924. Mary H, Evans
1925. Mara M, Highlands
Ranch
1926. Alex C, Colorado
Springs
1927. matthew c,
Julesburg
1928. Loisl W, Aurora
1929. julie k, Colorado
Springs
1930. Connie A, Frisco
1931. Keyara W, Denver
1932. Margarita K,
Colorado Springs
1933. William L, Austin
1934. Donna W,
Highlands Ranch
1935. Benita G,
Lakewood
1936. Keith S, Fort Collins
1937. Frank U,
Englewood
1938. Robyn T, Longmont
1939. carla a, Denver
1940. Betsy T, Denver
1941. Anne M, Longmont
1942. Edie S, Clifton
1943. Pauline D, Greeley
1944. Katie S, Colorado
Springs
1945. Jessica H, Colorado
Springs
1946. regan g, Wheat
Ridge
1947. Virginia M,
Colorado Springs
1948. Vanessa D, Denver
1949. Kennedy R,
Colorado Springs
1950. Jessica P, Sedalia
1951. Doni A, Canon City
1952. Stevan R, Fort
Collins
1953. Karen S, Aurora
1954. Harold O,
Longmont
1955. Victoria M,
Lafayette
1956. Lillie S, Denver
1957. tracy m, Rockvale
1958. Nancy S, Aurora
1959. Karen J, Sanford
1960. Gilbert V, Aurora
1961. Angela P,
Longmont
1962. Theodore B,
Lafayette
1963. Gallilea M, Denver
1964. Olivia A.S Gonz O,
Colorado Springs
1965. pat g, Aurora
1966. Jesus H, Longmont
1967. Robert H, Denver
1968. Ashley M, Denver
1969. Destiny F, Denver
1970. Sydney D, Aurora
1971. Jordin T, Colorado
Springs
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1973. Ambria W,
Platteville
1974. Gerard S, Avondale
1975. Clamma D,
Thornton

1976. Nea P, Colorado Springs
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1980. Ashleigh M, Pueblo
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1984. michele f, Fairplay
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1988. Theresa B, Colorado Springs
1989. Hannah L, Arvada
1990. Sarah L, Colorado Springs
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1992. Susan W, Steamboat Springs
1993. Nick W, Castle Rock
1994. Elise G, Highlands Ranch
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1996. Dorothy and Ric C, Colorado Springs
1997. Patricia N, Evergreen
1998. Risa V, Denver
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2008. Tammy S, Greeley
2009. Joyce G, Leadville
2010. Danielle R, Greeley
2011. Lynette M, Milliken
2012. Brian M, Lakewood
2013. Chris M, Littleton
2014. Kylie P, Log Lane Village
2015. Kellie B, Simla
2016. Sarah S, Broomfield
2017. Philip R, Hesperus
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2020. Juan G, Ault
2021. Reese K, Fraser
2022. Donna M, Frederick
2023. Kinsley T, Silverthorne
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2027. Mary S, Longmont
2028. Galen K, Grand Junction
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2048. Jeff P, Colorado Springs	2070. Ashley B, Sedgwick	2090. Laurie L, Greeley
2049. Pam C, Highlands Ranch	2071. Robert B, Gunnison	2091. John K, Westminster
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2052. Mark T, Greeley	2074. Paisley W, Castle Pines	2094. Paul M, Buffalo Creek
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2059. Mimi A, Denver	2081. Bethanne G,	2101. Raelyn A, Redvale
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		2103. Cristine I, Denver

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2106. Aubrie A, Grand Junction
2107. Kadin J, Denver
2108. Lisa S, Colorado Springs
2109. Steven E, Denver
2110. Carle S, Denver
2111. Marina T, Highlands Ranch
2112. Jim M, Denver
2113. Sadie H, Aurora
2114. Eric K, Snowmass Village
2115. Sierra M, Montrose
2116. Isabelle F, Fort Collins
2117. Kali D, Denver
2118. Trinity L, Firestone
2119. matt n, Denver
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2121. Koen L, Colorado Springs
2122. Suzanne B, Colorado Springs
2123. Tiana M, Longmont
2124. Jodia t, Hawley
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April 26, 2023

Chair Fields, Vice Chair Ginal and Fellow Committee Members,

I'd like to thank the sponsors of HB23-1215 for their dedicated work on this bill and the amendments that have been added to date. We are grateful for the changes that have been made to the bill, but believe there is more work to be done.

We agree that billing transparency is important for patients, but the best way to address that is through additional insights and information the study in the current draft of HB23-1215 would provide.

Today, we would like to urge the committee to remove the telehealth and preventative care fee prohibitions from the bill as both are vital to providing the latest and best care to the patients we serve.

Telehealth and preventative care are vital components of that shared commitment to Coloradans' health, particularly for our patients in rural areas across the state.

Through our telehealth programs, we educate and consult with primary care practices and directly treat patients in every Colorado county. Our campus was an early leader in the telehealth space – pioneering remote patient care for conditions such as diabetes. Telehealth became an even more critical tool for reaching providers and patients throughout the COVID-19 pandemic – up from about 200 visits per month pre-pandemic, to nearly 20,000 visits monthly today. This expansion of telehealth has proven effective in removing barriers to meet patients where they are.

The facility fees help support non-billable hours by medical professionals, which constitute a substantial portion of telehealth care, and the infrastructure needed to support the delivery of that care.

Alongside telehealth, preventative care – which, for many, was neglected over the last several years due to the pandemic – ensures better long-term health outcomes for patients. This includes a wide range of procedures such as mammograms and colonoscopies that require specialized facilities and non-billable time of the professionals that conduct these life-saving tests.

The University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus was built for the people of Colorado and through a shared commitment to improving health in our state. True to that vision, our campus has become a destination for high-quality healthcare, on par with the Mayo Clinic, Johns Hopkins and Stanford.

As an academic medical campus, our mission spans education, research, patient care and community. These areas are intertwined and interdependent, and impacts to one mission area are impacts to all. It is with the support of our partner hospitals that we are able to deliver on our essential mission in service to Colorado. Indeed, impacts to CU Anschutz ultimately constitute impacts to the state of Colorado.

We therefore ask the committee to adopt amendments removing telehealth and preventative care from fee prohibitions.

Thank you,

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Chancellor, University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus

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HB23-1215 Testimony in OPPOSITION
Senate Health & Insurance Committee
Madame Chair, Representative Daugherty
April 27, 2023

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This bill would prohibit the only fee that covers the nurses, nursing assistants, behavioral health therapists, social workers, pharmacists, security officers, front desk receptionists, patient access representatives, environmental services staff, IT teams and many others who deliver and support care for each patient.

Specifically, I want to address the information and data premise of this bill. Single case anecdotes are not the basis for creating such a significant regulatory impact on the financial models that help deliver critical, timely, and affordable care for Coloradans. If changes need to be made to the use of, and accountability for, facility fees, the proposed should be informed by a rigorous analysis of the usage of these services and the actual cost of the services, to include the infrastructure and regulatory tail that insurance payors do not reimburse to health systems. Further these type of legislative changes should rely on an analysis for the actual cost of care versus the amounts reimbursed by insurance companies and other third party payors.

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Please – oppose this bill, and support access to care for patients and jobs for essential health care workers like me. We're dedicated to the patients we care for, but with no reimbursement for us, inevitably services in outpatient clinics will be restricted or possibly eliminated. This bill will harm Coloradans and veterans. This is not your intent I am sure, but it will be the consequence of this bill – impacting our veteran and non-veteran citizens alike.

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CBGH Statement of Support for HB23-1215 - Limits on Hospital Facility Fees

The Colorado Business Group on Health (CBGH) consists of 18 health plan sponsors, 16 of whom are employers including the State of Colorado, City and County of Denver, several school districts, and other self-funded, public-sector employers. Our two trust members each represent several dozen smaller, fully insured municipalities, school districts, and various, mostly public sector employers. As the Executive Director of CBGH, I am submitting this letter of support for HB23-1215

We support this bill because it would prevent blatant profiteering by hospitals at the expense of Colorado employers and their health plan enrollees. We can point to numerous independent studies and papers that support this claim. Following is a synopsis of four corroborating papers:

1. ***Out-patient services in Colorado hospitals are twice as expensive physician offices.*** Under a grant from Robert Wood Johnson, CBGH engaged CIVHC to do a study of the difference in the cost of the 10 most frequent out-patient procedures paid for by employers. Hospital prices were twice those charged by the hospitals.
2. ***Colorado hospital OP prices are 345% of what “relatively efficient” hospitals need to break even.*** The Rand Corporation, using CIVHC’s All-Payer Claims Data base, documented that Colorado hospitals are paid 345% of Medicare payments. Yet in their “Payment Adequacy Analysis” report to the US Congress, the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MedPAC) has consistently, over the last five years, quantified that “relatively efficient” hospitals either break-even or lose (at most) one percent on Medicare. Losses above that level are due to inefficient operations and high costs.
3. ***Colorado hospitals have consolidated simply to increase prices and profit.*** In March 2020 the Center for Economic Progress and Research published a report called "[The Effects of Hospital Consolidation in Colorado.](#)" Making Colorado the poster child for why hospitals consolidate, CEPR observed that "*..an examination of hospital operating margins makes it clear that it is the ability to charge higher prices that is behind [consolidation and] the increase in hospital income.*"
4. ***Colorado’s Department of Health Care Policy and Finance has documented that Colorado’s hospitals are “high priced, high cost, and high profit.”*** Perhaps no State in the US has done as thorough a job in quantifying the financial performance of hospitals as Colorado. HCPF has produced several reports pointing out that, despite high costs, hospitals are very profitable.

Now that Colorado’s hospitals have acquired an estimated 70% of independent physician practices in the State, allowing them to apply their prices for out-patient procedures will unnecessarily burden employers and employees and make Colorado, already one of the most expensive States for healthcare, even more expensive.

On behalf of healthcare’s purchasers, both employers and patients, I encourage you to limit hospital profit-taking at employers’ and employees’ expense by passing this bill.

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Executive Director (Retired)



**STATEMENT FOR THE RECORD BEFORE THE HOUSE HEALTH & INSURANCE
COMMITTEE ON HB 23-1215: LIMITS ON HOSPITAL FACILITY FEES**

April 27, 2023
Lindsey Vigoda, Colorado Director
Small Business Majority

Thank you, Madam Chair Fields and Members of the Committee,:

My name is Lindsey Vigoda and I'm the Colorado Director for Small Business Majority, a small business organization with offices nationwide, including here in Colorado. Our mission is to empower America's diverse entrepreneurs to build a thriving and equitable economy. I am here to share our support for HB 23-1215 because it is a step forward to providing protections for Coloradans and small business owners from costs associated with abusive hospital facility fees.

Recent research estimates that 6 in 10 Coloradans do not think their healthcare costs are "very affordable" and approximately half say they have put off recommended medical procedures and treatments due to rising healthcare costs. This issue affects our entire healthcare system and economy because this means too many Coloradans are afraid to seek needed care, meaning they will suffer in silence and/or stop working altogether, further pushing people out of employment or out of business.

Today we're talking about an additional fee that many patients don't know about that is making healthcare costs even higher than they should be. Hospital facility fees come as a surprise on top of all the other medical costs associated with health services. Facility bills are becoming more prevalent, in part due to the merging and consolidation of hospital facilities happening across our state, and around the country. Although facility fees vary widely depending on the provider and procedure, they are driving up the cost of healthcare statewide, hitting small business owners and their employees in their wallets.

We know from our extensive research that healthcare costs are one of the biggest challenges facing our small business community. Coloradans and small business owners simply can't prepare for or anticipate how medical bills will be calculated, and these fees often are not covered by insurance providers. We hear from members of our network that even those seeking care through telehealth services are seeing facility fees added to their bills. These fees are particularly challenging for our state's more than 550,000 solo entrepreneurs, many of whom are low- or moderate-income individuals and are operating on thin margins.

The proposed legislation would curb facility fees, lower healthcare costs for small businesses and protect those who seek healthcare coverage. We look forward to continuing to work with the legislature to identify ways we can address burdensome healthcare costs in Colorado.

Your supportive decision today will make a difference in how our job creators, workers and families will thrive in the future.

Thank you,
Lindsey Vigoda
Colorado Director, Small Business Majority

Jennifer Riley Testimony
HB 23-1215
Senate Health and Human Services

April 27, 2023

Good evening, Madam Chair and Members of the Committee.

My name is Jennifer Riley, and I'm the CEO of Memorial Regional Health in Craig, located about 4 hours northwest of Denver.

I'm testifying today on behalf of my own hospital, a rural Critical Access Hospital. While I appreciate that rural hospitals like mine are carved out of this bill, I remain in opposition as it is bad policy.

My town is a mostly conservative, blue-collar, coal-impacted community of less than 10,000 people. Our patients are our neighbors *and* our friends, and we care deeply about their ability to access high quality, affordable health care. At MRH we are proud to offer our community much of the care they need, keeping them close to home.

You might be wondering why I'm here in opposition if the bill doesn't impact my hospital.

The reality is that the carve out is an indication of how flawed and misguided this policy is. It makes no sense to say that the care we provide is valued, but that the same care at a different hospital is not.

We rely on other hospitals for services we cannot provide like specialized care. Today we are fortunate to work with a number of specialists who come to our facility to provide care, keeping our patients close to home.

These hospitals that we rely on for specialized outreach will experience a severe fiscal impact if this bill is passed. They will be forced to look at cutting services, and outreach will be one of those services.

Finally, I wanted to make one comment on the importance of telehealth to my rural community, since another amendment would restrict payments for telehealth services.

My hospital also utilizes telehealth for some specialty care. For some services like oncology, telehealth is the primary way my patients can access specialty care without driving many hours. But if this bill passes prohibiting facility fees for telehealth, we will have to consider cutting the service. These fees pay for the staff to check in the patient, the nurse to provide the onsite evaluation for the telehealth specialist, and for the facility. These fees are vital to sustainability.

Even more devastating to hospitals is banning facility fees for Preventative Healthcare Services. Hospitals have been working for many years to emphasize the importance of preventative healthcare. The more quickly we can identify a health-related concern and address it before it becomes more serious and most costly to the patient. Facility fees pay for hospitals to staff important preventative health services, like our labs. This bill could disincentivize providing preventive health services.

Stripping payment for these crucial services will make life harder for my patients, and drive other costs up – like travel and time off work.

We urge the committee to eliminate all of the pieces of this bill that ban facility fees, and instead focus on a thoughtful and comprehensive study of the issues.

Thank you for your time.

Written Testimony from Kat Gruschow, Colorado Consumer Health Initiative

Hello, Madam Chair and members of the committee. I am submitting this written testimony on behalf of two Coloradans – one consumer and one nurse – who have struggled with facility fees and the abusive practices of corporate health care systems, specifically, UCHealth.

Both individuals hesitate to submit testimony under their own names for fear of retaliation from UCHealth. Lisa. is a patient in a cancer treatment trial that only UCHealth offers, and Nurse M. from Colorado Springs, fears being blacklisted from UCHealth.

Here is a statement from Lisa S.:

Until three years ago, I was fairly ignorant of the healthcare system. I got my flu shot every fall and rarely went to the doctor's office otherwise... until I found a lump in my breast. I had no idea what a diagnosis like this could do to a person's life... the fear, of course, but also the stress of the costs and how it's nearly impossible to manage, prepare for, estimate or budget for the charges involved.

I've seen many doctors over the last three years, and the copay for all of these except primary care falls under "specialty care" which carries a \$75 copay. As a single mom, \$75 is a lot of money, so when I needed to see specialist after specialist, the costs quickly became overwhelming. I tried to keep track of it all, but I got so many bills each month and often several months after being seen. Frankly, I was terrified for my life, having surgery, chemotherapy, other treatments, and debilitating side effects. I was still working, and trying to care for my kids and home. The doctors kept telling me that "managing my stress" was very important for my immune system and health, so I did my best not to obsess about money or charges I did not understand, couldn't afford, and couldn't keep track of.

It was a couple of years before I noticed that every time I went to UCHealth, I was getting charged TWO copays for each visit. I thought this was a mistake, so I called to get it corrected and refunded. That's when I found out about the facility fee and that I had been paying a full copay to see my doctor AND a full copay to be in a room during our visits.

What I really do not understand is how this can be necessary when none of my many other doctors' offices (endocrinology, optometry, nephrology, surgery, women's health, dentist, ENT) have to charge two fees for each visit.

Healthcare in this country is extremely hard to afford, and many people have to ration their care and medications, often to their detriment. We are limited to seeing doctors that insurance deems "in network" and then patients are tasked with calling around and trying to get estimates for each test or procedure to get the lowest cost. What we shouldn't also have to deal with are surprise bills and double copays we don't even know about.

- Lisa S.

The other person we've interacted with is Nurse M. Nurse M used to work at a UCHealth facility in Colorado Springs. She never felt appreciated by the higher-ups, they would not listen to her asks for raises nor grant them, and during COVID, the facility only had a 10% retention rate for nurses.

She was never aware of facility fees as a nurse, and she is confident that her patients were never made aware of them either. If the nurses and persons providing the services don't know about the facility fees, how could we expect the patients in an emergency department to?

During a medical emergency of her own, she visited the emergency department at the UHealth facility where she used to be employed and was charged an egregiously high facility fee for the treatment received. That was the first time she had ever heard of them, or the idea that that is how UHealth supposedly pays for workers like her.

HB23-1215 would not prevent the charging of facility fees in emergency situations or on the type of care that Nurse M received while in the hospital. However, Nurse M wanted to share her frustration in hearing UHealth claim that facility fees are necessary to compensate nurses and other ancillary staff after being a nurse for UHealth and being charged a surprise, out-of-pocket fee.

She believes the system is abusive and greedy. During her time as a nurse, she never felt she saw the payout of such a high cost placed on patients' shoulders.

Nurse M wants it to be known that in the health care sector, who you work for matters immensely. She feels her new company does far more to help their patients regarding billing and costs than UHealth ever did. They are transparent and upfront. When there is an out-of-pocket payer, the facility does what it can to not charge the patient. To see someone in need of care as an opportunity to make a further profit than necessary is not part of the business plan at her new job.

Nurse M believes that consumers should have a full view of what their health care is going to cost them. Transparency doesn't work unless *all* costs are disclosed ahead of time. And she doesn't want to see nurses and other ancillary workers thrown on the frontline of this fight when she knows from first-hand experience that the system does not pay them enough, especially in contrast to its annual revenue and CEO salaries.

I want to highlight how worried these consumers are about sharing their stories. Our health systems are bullying folks out of sharing their experiences, out of fully engaging in our democratic system and using their voices to foster real change. UHealth has a monopoly on the cutting edge cancer treatment market and the Colorado Springs employment landscape to a degree that hinders people from sharing the truth about the issues impacting them, including facility fees.

Members of the Committee. My name is Michael Kark and I live in Centennial with my wife and three children. I'm here today, as a registered independent to testify in support of House Bill 1215 to ensure Coloradans have transparency when it comes to facility fees.

My six-year-old son has severe food allergies that have resulted in him having a very limited number of foods he can eat. As a result, his allergist recommended seeing a food psychologist at the Children's Hospital's outpatient clinic at Anschutz. He went to a routine visit where he sat on the psychologist's couch and played with toys. Our family was charged our \$20 copay which we expected to be the cost of the visit, but a few weeks later I received a surprise facility fee bill for \$503. I reached out to Children's and was surprised to learn that while we had incurred the doctors fee, this was a separate fee that the agent and subsequent agents struggled to explain and define. It seemed odd that this out-of-pocket fee was 25X more than our copay and even larger than the insurance portion of the doctor's visit.

The more I learned, the more surprised I was to understand how this system is working. Throughout the process, no one told us to expect a facilities fee let alone a \$503 one. When you go to have your car serviced, they tell you what to expect and you decide whether or not you want to

repair your vehicle. You would never receive a surprise bill a month later because it defies logic and sadly so does this.

Throughout my internal call transfers at Children's, the disappointing moment came when a senior billing agent who sympathized with my situation, told me the only explanation she could give me was that the hospital charges these fees because they can. She assured me that they get these calls frequently and that it's both confusing and seemingly unfair, but her hands were tied.

I was disheartened that a not for-profit like Children's Hospital who does so many good things for our children in Colorado would be engaged in these questionable billing practices.

I've never testified at our State Capitol, however I felt compelled to share my story because I believe Colorado families deserve to be treated with honesty and fairness. We need to change this system; so that patients and their families can make thoughtful decisions about non-urgent care. These kinds of fees should be disclosed to families before they go to the doctor so they can make an educated financial decision on where to seek care.

Thank you for listening to my story today and urge you to vote YES on House Bill 1215. I'm happy to answer any questions you may have.



Testimony Relating to Hospital Facility Fees

From: Johanna Butler, Policy Associate, Coverage, Cost and Value at the National Academy for State Health Policy (NASHP)

To: Colorado Senate Health & Human Services committee

Date: April 26, 2023

RE: HB23-1215

NASHP is a non-partisan forum of policymakers that works to develop and promote innovative health policy solutions. Our work is guided by state health officials across multiple agencies and offices – including executive and legislative branches of government – to solve problems, conduct policy analysis and research, and provide technical assistance. At state officials' request, NASHP established a Center on Health System Costs to better understand hospital and health systems financials and understand their role as drivers of health care costs.

NASHP is neutral on specific legislation but supports state efforts to address high and rising hospital costs with an ultimate goal of ensuring access to high quality, affordable care for all. This testimony is intended to provide background on a model policy NASHP developed to limit certain facility fees, similar to HB 1215, at the direction of state officials.

Why Prohibit Unwarranted Facility Fees?

Facility fees were originally designed to compensate hospitals for “stand-by” capacity required for trauma centers, emergency departments and inpatient services that are unpredictable. However, as large hospital and health systems acquire more providers and take over their billing, facility fees are added for diagnostic testing and other routine services provided by physicians even if their office is located miles away from a hospital. Through this consolidation, facility fees for non-hospital services are becoming more common and contributing to higher patient out-of-pocket and system costs. Legislation restricting or prohibiting facility fees can help states de-incentivize vertical integration, protect consumers from high costs, and increase transparency of health care costs. As a result, a state advisory group requested and worked with NASHP and legal experts, to develop model legislation to prohibit facility fees soon after the launch of our Center on Health System Costs.

Reduce Incentives for Vertical Integration

A wealth of evidence suggests a link between high costs and vertical integration of health care, when a health system acquires a physician or physician group. Despite potential efficiencies, evidence suggests that vertical integration leads to higher hospital prices, higher physician prices, and higher total expenditures per patient.¹ One way that costs can rise is through the addition of facility fees for outpatient services provided by an acquired physician.

When hospitals acquire a physician practice, a hospital can tack on an additional outpatient facility fee to the professional service fee that physician practice previously charged. Fees for services at



physicians' offices usually include both the professional and overhead costs of the service in a single charge. By contrast, hospital outpatient departments are traditionally paid more than physicians' offices for performing the same type of service. This is because hospital outpatient settings receive a facility fee to compensate them for the expenses of maintaining standby capacity.²

However, physician offices do not require the same standby capacity. After being acquired, physicians generally continue to set appointments and see patients as they did prior to becoming affiliated with a hospital. There is often no change in services provided, but the billing has changed. This indicates no change or increase in value but still higher prices than when the physician's practice was characterized as a freestanding community setting.³ Limiting facility fees charged by off-campus providers reduces incentives for hospitals to acquire physicians because a hospital can't immediately tack on a facility fee and increase revenue.

Protect Consumers

Limiting facility fees can also better protect consumers from high costs. Consumers are increasingly enrolled in insurance plans with high-cost sharing. In the ten years from 2007 to 2017, national average enrollee out-of-pocket spending grew by 58%, more than double the increase in workers' wages during the same period. Consumers are enrolled in plans with higher deductibles and coinsurance rather than copays leaving them more sensitive to the actual cost of health care services.⁴ Rising hospital prices and added costs like facility fees can impact consumer's out-of-pocket spending.

News stories have highlighted the variety and severity of facility fees billed for services. One incident in Connecticut for a telehealth visit with a pediatric specialist was found to bring a facility fee of anywhere between \$50 and \$350 because the doctor would be on hospital property.⁵ While a facility fee may seem small when examining overall health care spending, it can be a substantial burden for consumers. Prohibiting unwarranted facility fees and requiring greater consumer notice can offer patients some protection from new or existing costs brought on by vertical integration.

Increase Transparency

One of the key challenges in understanding and addressing facility fees is the lack of transparency and data on these costs. These fees vary greatly across services and providers. As such, it can be challenging for states to understand their impact on overall health care costs. Additionally, a patient might not know if his/her doctor appointment will yield an additional fee. Several states have enacted laws to require better consumer notice of facility fees in a variety of formats – during appointment scheduling, in physical offices, and on itemized bills. The transparency provisions within Colorado HB 1215 could be helpful in better understanding the full scope of this issue for purchasers of care.

Addressing High Costs by Prohibiting Facility Fees

CO HB 1215, like NASHP's model legislation, does not eliminate all facility fees, but restricts their use to try protect consumers. As nearly half of U.S. adults struggle to afford health care services, many states are seeking to address the issue of increased consolidation and prohibiting targeted facility fees is one tool to do so.⁶ In introducing this legislation, Colorado follows Connecticut, which was one of the first states to require consumer notice of facility fees and remains one of the only states to prohibit unwarranted facility fees. During the current state legislative session, Connecticut, Massachusetts,



Indiana, and Texas have also proposed legislation to further restrict or regulate the billing of facility fees.⁷

I would be happy to provide follow-up information to answer any questions you may have and can be reached at jbutler@nashp.org. Thank you for the opportunity to share this information.

Respectfully,

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These so-called facility fees are contributing to high health care costs, increased medical debt and worsening health care access for underserved Coloradans.

As a physician, I worry that these facility fees are discouraging people from seeking and getting the care they need.

Patients with chronic conditions or complex medical histories requiring multiple points of care are seeing significant additional costs from facility fees beyond what they already pay through insurance.

People of color, low-income Coloradans and those who face language barriers also suffer because of the amount of time and resources it takes to navigate the system when they are charged unexpected facility fees.

While patients can try to fight their medical bills, that takes time and energy they should be spending on recovering and getting well, not battling a hospital's corporate bureaucracy.

Unfortunately, as Colorado health systems continue to gobble up private practices and consolidate facility fees are becoming more commonplace and indiscriminate for the patients everywhere.

These new massive health systems are adding a hospital charge to just about everything done within their network even when it's a preventative service that a patient shouldn't be charged for, a telehealth visit, or routine primary care .

Even as patients and physicians beg for relief from facility fees, powerful hospital groups are pushing back despite many of them making record profits in the last few years.

I strongly support House Bill 1215 as an important first step toward determining the true cost of facility fees on Colorado patients and their families, with the goal of ultimately ending facility fees except where absolutely necessary.

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For too many Coloradans, added costs like facility fees are a barrier to care that we must strive to remove.

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RE: 4/27/23 Public Hearing and United States of Care's Support for HB23-1215

Madam Chair and Members of the Committee,

My name is Eric Waskowicz, and I'm the policy manager at United States of Care – an organization working to ensure everyone has access to quality, affordable health care regardless of health status, social need, or income. In Colorado, we have been engaged in efforts to expand access to coverage and improve health care affordability and often highlight Colorado as a national leader in addressing everyday people's health care needs.

Today, United States of Care is thankful to testify in **support of House Bill 1215**, a commonsense solution that will take steps to help protect patients from unexpected hospital facility fees. We appreciate the work done by Senators Lisa Cutter and Kyle Mullica to introduce this bill, collaborate with stakeholders, and make the changes necessary to narrow its scope while still putting people first.

Despite meaningful action taken by this legislature, [more than three in five](#) Coloradans say it would be difficult for them to pay \$500 in unexpected medical costs, an amount not uncommonly charged by hospitals in the form of "facility fees." Colorado ranks [tenth highest](#) in the nation in terms of patients' hospital costs, and these so-called facility fees charged by hospitals more often than not come as a surprise to patients, who may or may not be able to pay them.

These fees don't guarantee any additional quality of care; rather, patients are just paying more for the same service they could receive at an independent clinic with no facility fee. If independent clinics are able to bill for and fully cover their costs without facility fees, why can't well-resourced health systems?

Unfortunately, we don't fully understand the answer to this question as limited data exist to show the negative impact facility fees have on people's access to affordable health care. House Bill 1215, if amended, represents a narrowed, targeted approach that balances the need to collect information on the scope of this problem with commonsense consumer protections, such as requiring pre-visit patient notification of any facility fee and tailored limits on these fees for preventive services.

Connecticut and New York have led the way in placing sensible limits on facility fees for telehealth services and preventive care, respectively. Taking action to address facility fees here in Colorado would be a financial lifeline for so many families and are supported by more than [80% of Coloradans](#).

United States of Care is supportive of House Bill 1215 and strongly encourages a “yes” vote in support of this bill that takes steps to ensure that Coloradans have access to the medical care they need.

Please consider the experts at United States of Care a resource; if you have any questions regarding our comments, please don't hesitate to reach out..

Sincerely,

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