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I am in opposition of using the Fair Health Database to decide payments for my services from Personal Injury claims. My practice is Flourish Chiropractic Spa and my team and I work one-on-one with each of our patients, giving them focused, intentional care that they need to heal. We each see up to eight patients in a day and depend on getting the full amount that we charge for our services to be paid in order to stay in the Capitol Hill neighborhood and maintain overhead. We are one of the last LGBTQ+ clinics in this neighborhood that accept both insurance and new patients.

My main concern is, if we are paid less from insurance companies, the cost will transfer to the patients. By shifting the cost to patients, the patients may not be able to afford to come in for care which would affect their recovery. Patients who pay for insurance should get the benefit of the insurance paying for their services if a loss does occur. It's unfair to have them pay hundreds of dollars for insurance that does not cover them fully. They should not have to pay their insurance premiums AND pay for their care. I would also like full transparency on the Fair Health Database. We are in an expensive part of a big metropolitan area and our services being cut would be detrimental to our clinic's existence.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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Yours In Health & Wellness,

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2 things can help your nervous system:
Being around kindhearted and self-aware people

Developing the inner balance to not react to everything around you

-Yung Pueblo

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