

# Phone/Email Scripts for Oregon's House Bill #2390

## Example Scripts for Contacting Oregon Legislators for Senate Bill 628

### Script #1

Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and *I'm an Oregon registered voter/I'm a constituent/I'm a parent advocate/I'm someone who has had PANDAS/PANS/I'm representing an organization* who is calling/emailing in support of **Senate Bill 628**, a bill to ensure all children in Oregon with PANDAS/PANS have access to the same care that the State of Oregon provides. Medicaid coverage for IVIG was approved in May of 2022 and despite the Insurance Commissioner of Oregon issuing notice to all Oregon insurers about this advancement in coverage, Oregon insurance companies are still denying this medical treatment and delaying medical care for the sickest children in our state with P/P. Additionally, 10 other states have passed legislation already ensuring that children in their state have access to this care. Please stand in support of Oregon's children who also deserve this same access to care. Don't let insurers decide to withhold medically necessary treatment that our own state provides. Thank you.



### Script #2

Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and *I'm an Oregon registered voter/I'm a constituent/I'm a parent advocate/I'm someone who has had PANDAS/PANS/I'm representing an organization* who is calling/emailing to

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ask for your support on Senate Bill 628, a bill to ensure insurance parity for Oregon children with PANDAS/PANS. Oregon insurers are denying care for the most severe children with these neuroimmune disorders that cause a host of psychiatric and neurological symptoms post infection. **10 other states have passed legislation** already ensuring that children in their state have access to this care. Oregon passed coverage for IVIG in May of 2022 for children on Medicaid. Can we count on your support to ensure every child has access to this care and not just those that are on Medicaid or who can pay privately? Working class families should also be able to obtain medically necessary care for their children. These Oregon children are counting on you. Thank you.

### Script #3

Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and *I'm an Oregon registered voter/I'm a constituent/I'm a parent advocate/I'm someone who has had PANDAS/PANS/I'm representing an organization* who is calling/emailing to ask for your support on Senate Bill 628. The State of Oregon has already established coverage for IVIG treatment which is being denied by Oregon insurers despite the fact that our Insurance Commissioner has notified them of this advancement in coverage. The State of Oregon should hold these insurers accountable for the same coverage instead of allowing them to withhold necessary medical care from sick children. 10 other states have passed legislation already ensuring that

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children in their state have access to this care. We need your support for these children. Thank you.

