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I am writing in support of expanding NDs prescription practices to align with those of our neighboring states. I have had frequent medical interactions with my sister-in-law, Dr. Rebecca Morrell, ND and I have always been extremely impressed with her level of medical knowledge. As a family physician, I am acutely aware of the shortage of primary care providers. Allowing NDs to broaden their scope would help increase Mainer's access to care. Additionally, I have patients who prefer to see their NDs over anyone in the traditional 'western' field of medicine - if NDs were able to prescribe similarly to MD/DO/PA/NPs that would likely increase medical compliance of those patients as they typically trust their ND providers more.

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