Senator Mones Anderson and members of the Senate Health Committee,

I am writing in support of SB874.

My 20 year old daughter, Jennifer Romrell, was diagnosed August 25, 2013 with Secondary Adrenal Insufficiency, a rare but potentially life-threatening disease. In short, her body is unable to produce enough cortisol. This link, <a href="http://www.aiunited.org/">http://www.aiunited.org/</a>, has a brief description of her condition.

Jennifer wears and an identification bracelet stating her condition. Unfortunately this will not ensure proper emergency treatment. EMTs have not been trained about this potentially lifethreatening condition and ambulances do not carry the \$15 injectable medicine (Solu-Cortef) which could save her life if she were to have an Adrenal Crisis. There are no protocols in place to allow EMTs to administer the Solu-Cortef she carries with her everywhere she goes.

I was grateful to learn of the efforts being made to help change this situation. What great peace of mind there would be if bill SB874 would pass. Knowing that in an emergency, there would be medical professionals trained help her survive an adrenal crisis.

Thank you for your time, effort, and service!

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