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This bill grants immunities to children's advocacy centers and to employees and designated agents of children's advocacy centers. That's unequivocally wrong. If children are harmed by negligence or worse, by willfully evil and malicious acts, they should be able to sue for damages. Why would anyone think that immunity for injury and/or child abuse by the inept or unskilled or malevolent employees and agents of Children's Advocacy Centers should be granted? All providers should be expected to deliver skilled services. There must be a high standard to which all should be held accountable. No immunity for malfeasance or negligence. Close their doors! And to even consider language forgiving bad actions retroactively is obscene. Scrap HB 2479 entirely.