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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

Measure: HB2002

Please do not pass this bill! Children still need their parents to help them make hard decsions. Teens are not fully developed in the decision making part of their brain yet, this has been scientifically proven for many decades now.

It's why they can't vote, join the military or drink alcohol until 18 or 21.

Please look up the stories of individuals going through hardships in their early 20's due to gender affirming care in their teens. There are psychological and physiological issues, and continuous medical care; likely for the rest of their lives.

We need more psychological & counseling for these kids during this normally tumultuous yearscas they are trying to discover who they truly are.

Please vote NO on HB 2002