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Please oppose this bill. This is a wolf in sheep's clothing to those that support it. Under the guise of reproductive rights, abortion access, and gender affirming care, this bill does nothing more to bolster these claims. We have some of the most non restrictive access to reproductive rights (I started going to PP when I was 16 without my mom knowing) and to gender affirming care through OHP. This bill aims to target our most VULNERABLE population: CHILDREN of all ETHNICITIES. Children UNDER 15. Parents and guardians may be fined for interfering with such care. What if the subject is being abused or is under duress?? What if they've been trafficked?? The foresight of this bill is severely lacking and needs major revisions.