

Submitter: Jennifer Chartrand

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Behavioral Health

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4083

I am opposed to HB 4083 which would require Social Workers to be supervised by Licensed Professional Counselors and Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists in addition to Social Workers. We are not the same! Yes, we have overlapping ethics and training, Social Workers have unique schooling and training that other disciplines in the field of mental health would have no understanding of. The language and scope of practice are different.