

Testimony for SB 562 from Patrick M. Gilead Rehab Center

To Senator Harris, Representative Villano, and members of the Human Services Committee:

My name is Patrick. I am diagnosed with Paranoid Schizophrenia. I was first diagnosed in 1981. I have been hospitalized several times from 1982 to 1993. Since 1993 I have been doing very well. I was disabled in 1981. Since then I have been receiving SSI and Medicaid. Medicaid has been a great program for me. It pays for my meds. Without Medicaid I could not pay for my meds. Can you please help those who do not have Medicaid. If you have any questions you may ask me.

Thank you for hearing me.

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