

Panagakos SB 374

Please reevaluate your Senate Bill 374 this is an infringement on our parental rights . Funding should go to parenting classes in high schools and birth to three programs. The parents that need help are many.

I know that presently parents of emotionally and physically challenged young adults are faced with the overwhelming task of placing their adult child after graduation. Senator Malloy and the federal governments budget cuts has left parents with no funding for the residential and working needs of these soon to be 21 year olds.

If Newtown is a catalyst for this bill... please rethink it.. that one person should have been assessed as a teen and brought to a professional institution for mentally ill persons... but then remember.. we deinstitutionalized our mentally ill citizens because of their rights and because of lack of money being allotted to that population..gee maybe we should start at the top... at the over 21 year olds and work down!

Thank you.

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