

Department of Public Health
Senator Gerratana and Rep. Johnson
Testimony for Bill #6592
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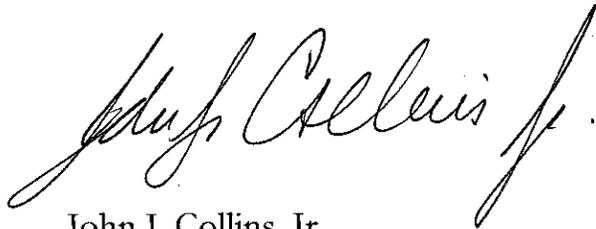
To the Committee:

Homeopathy has been an integral healing force in my family's healthcare for over 16 years. My family and I have used homeopathy safely and effectively for a number of common illnesses. It is a readily accessible healthcare discipline whose FDA approved remedies can be easily purchased. Certified classical homeopaths undergo extensive, supervised, patient-oriented education, which requires an amount of training equal to or in excess of chiropractors, naturopaths and in some cases, physician's assistants.

Homeopathy considers a person's total health picture and always includes referrals to other recognized medical practitioners when appropriate.

Please consider Bill #6592 with the proposed language changes, so that my fellow residents of Connecticut can have access to an affordable, comprehensive and proven system of healthcare.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John J. Collins, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

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