

I am writing to let you know that I am not in favor of expanding the scope of practice to include Applied Behavior Analysis services. I have a son who is on the autism spectrum and has had the good fortune of benefiting from many services from many professionals including speech and language pathologists and certified behavior analysts. In fact, I credit ABA for many of the great strides he has made. I am certain that having trained behavior analysts in his life has been the most valuable part of his education.

Speech and language pathologists are very helpful but they ARE NOT trained behavior analysts. I firmly believe you would be doing our children with special needs a grave disservice by passing this bill.

Sincerely,

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