

My name is Jennifer Beck. I live in Cromwell. I am testifying *against* the Governors proposed budget cuts to DDS. My son Jack is 15 years old and has an Intellectual Disability. Jack attends Cromwell Middle School in the 8th grade. As he prepares for high school and his "transition " out of school; what services and supports will be available to him? Cuts to DDS limit the possibility of full community inclusion.

Please stop the cuts to DDS. Please restore full funding to DDS. Please fund the DDS waiting list.

Thanks for your consideration,

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