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To whom it may concern,

Access to homeopaths is limited in CT. There is an antiquated law from 1893 that says only medically trained people can practice homeopathy in CT, of which there are a very few. With so few homeopaths in CT, people either never hear about this option or must travel to another state to find a homeopath. It is very important to allow homeopathy to provide healthcare options for people who want them, Homeopathy has allowed my family to heal in a healthy and natural way without side effects. I have used it for fevers, ear infections, and all kinds of illnesses that western medicine encourages the use of drugs that have side effects.

The new legislation is proposing to keep the bar high by allowing nationally board certified classical homeopaths (CCHs) to be able to offer their services in CT. The CCH is the highest level of achievement for a professional homeopathy and the credential is recognized worldwide. I have worked with CCH's for a wide variety of issues that my children or other family members needed. They are knowledgeable and extremely vital to keeping us well, and healing in a quick manner. It is important to have access to well trained homeopaths in Connecticut.

The importance of choice, is important for my family's health and vitality, as we are a country where choice/freedom to use the method of healing needs to be available to patients.

Homeopathy is a safe, affordable and gentle modality of health care. We are indebted to homeopathy's influence on creating better health.

As the times change we also are witnessing an increasing demand for more natural healthcare. Access to homeopathy therefore is most essential to diverse populations of patients who are looking for safe, natural and effective alternative healthcare.

thank you,
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