

Dear members of the CT General Assembly Public Health Committee,

I will not be able to attend the public hearing, but strongly urge you to pass proposed house bill 6276. Suicide is a horrific mental health issue in this country, particularly for our youth, though it is a serious issue for all ages. Requiring those who most frequently interact with them to receive this training is essential to help providers recognize the signs of suicide in youth (and in others) and to train them how to seek help for those individuals. Passing this bill will help save lives - both now and in the future.

Sincerely,

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