

As a concerned citizen and advocate for positive change, I am writing to express my strong support for House Bill 366, titled “Minors & Resident Psych Treatment Centers.” This bill represents a critical step toward improving the well-being of minors in our community.

Reasons for Support:

**Enhanced Access to Care:** HB 366 ensures that minors have improved access to residential psychiatric treatment centers. By updating the guidelines and addressing self-sufficiency reserves, we can better serve those in need.

**Real-World Data:** The bill’s reliance on actual earnings data, rather than outdated figures, reflects a commitment to evidence-based decision-making. This approach will lead to fairer and more effective child support orders.

**Consistent Support Payments:** By phasing out adjustments as income increases, HB 366 promotes consistency in child support payments. This stability benefits both parents and children.

Recommendations:

**Community Welfare:** Residential treatment centers contribute to the overall welfare of our community by preventing crises, reducing hospitalizations, and supporting families.

**Long-Term Consequences:** Restricting access to these facilities may have long-term consequences for the mental health and overall development of affected minors. Early intervention and appropriate care are essential for their well-being

**Appeal:** I urge you to champion the passage of HB 366. Let us prioritize the well-being of our youth and create a stronger, more compassionate community.

Thank you for your dedication to public service, and I sincerely hope you will stand in favor of House Bill 366.

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