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I oppose this bill. Conversion therapy is being misused in this context. Patients should be able to explore any and all underlying feelings and issues with their mental health provider without fear of government interference. Exploratory therapy is not conversion, it is just that, exploratory. It is important for clients to be able to understand their motivations before making irreversible, life altering decisions.