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I vehemently oppose this legislation. The only “emergency” should be an immediate pause on all gender “transitions” until a formal review of the evidence base has been conducted. More progressive countries than ours including Finland, Sweden, and the UK have already completed these reviews and have switched, or are in the process of switching, to a therapy first approach. It is time for the US to follow their lead. Our children deserve evidence-based medical and therapeutic care.