

Members of the House and Government Operations Committee,

I support this bill because I believe in all parental rights of our children. I do not believe the government should intervene in preventing my child to obtain any drug paraphernalia. Too many people have lost their lives over drugs and I've seen no compelling evidence that an outreach program saves more lives. I believe the outreach program compromises adults and children by facilitating and encouraging drug use.

This bill helps protect our children and peers by allowing counties to set their own prevention and treatment programs that are appropriate. I also find it to be a lot safer than the outreach program encouraging drug use by handing out supplies.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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