I would like to start by thanking Delegate Cox for pushing this bill forward. This is a fundamental right and I'd to share my support for this bill. I have seen in the last few years the erosion of parental rights from allowing minors to consent for very serious medical treatments to the criminalizing of parents when seeking a second opinion on medical treatments. I strongly support this bill and I hope you will too.

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