

## Testimony SB0482

If there is to be loan assistance for people entering into a profession then it should be egalitarian and open to everyone, instead of restricted to certain professions. Furthermore the general state of education shows that if loans and loan forgiveness programs are encouraged then the educational facilities will raise their tuition rates, making the loans and programs increasingly essential.

Specific to this bill, I do not want mental health professionals in public schools. It seems superfluous at best, deleterious in all likelihood, and a tremendous expense to impose on our already massive--yet strained--school budgets.