

SB0205_Crossfile_Bill_RichardKaplowitz_FAV

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TESTIMONY ON CROSSFILE BILL SB#0205- POSITION: FAVORABLE

Health Insurance - Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders - Codification of Federal Requirements

TO: Chair Bagnall, Vice Chair Cullison, and members of the Health Committee
FROM: Richard Keith Kaplowitz

My name is Richard Keith Kaplowitz. I am a resident of District 3, Frederick County. I am submitting this testimony in support of cross-file bill SB#0205, **Health Insurance - Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders - Codification of Federal Requirements**

I submitted testimony on the cross-filed bill version heard in your chamber. That was bill HB0280 which passed the House of Delegates 93-35. This is the crossover bill from the other chamber SB0205. I urge you to support this bill which passed the Senate by the vote of 43-0.

Please reconcile these bills and ensure the final bill is passed in each chamber.

I respectfully and urgently this committee to return a favorable report on cross-file bill SB#0205.