

EXHIBIT 184

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Re: Request to help disseminate report critiquing science behind Texas and Alabama measures to criminalizing care

From: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 18 May 2022 00:58:31 -0400

Hi [REDACTED], this was approved. There may have been a delay in communicating this due to our busy staff. You may certainly list us as an endorsement.

Best,

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, May 17, 2022 9:10 AM

To: [REDACTED];

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Request to help disseminate report critiquing science behind Texas and Alabama measures to criminalizing care

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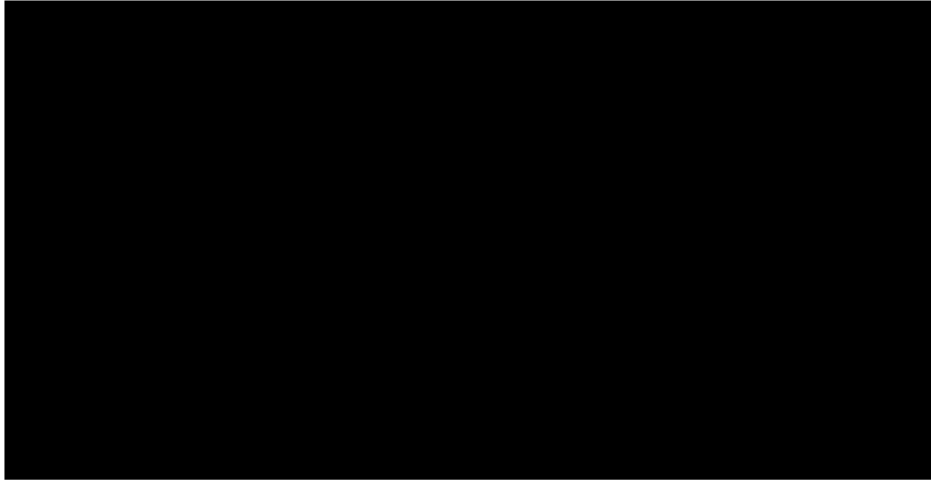
Thank you all for your support of our dissemination efforts.

We did spend time reflecting on how to discuss the issue of age for genital surgery as we understand and agree with the need to tailor to the individual. After consultation with those involved in the Alabama lawsuit, the consensus appeared to be that quoting the standards of care and remaining as close to this as possible would be most helpful for the case at this time.

It sounded like the report was being shared with USPATH board for their approval prior to any steps being taken. Is there an update? If there are any questions we can address and/or other ways that we can be helpful please let me know and I can discuss with the team.

Best,

[REDACTED]



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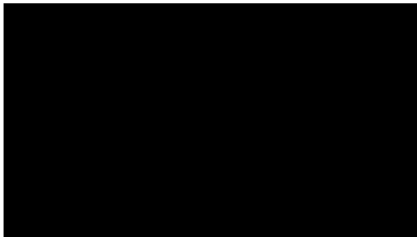


Dear [REDACTED] – I agree with your comments, and we can certainly pass this along to the USPATH Board for their OK to support and disseminate. I will work with you offline to get this out to the board for an electronic approval to support and disseminate.

Dear [REDACTED] – Further to your previous communications with [REDACTED] WPATH's Executive Committee has met today and is happy to endorse your Report. We do want to make a caveat though, which is that although the responses are correct from an academic point of view, from a clinical point of view gender affirming surgeries (genital and otherwise) are currently taking place for TGD people under the age of 18 years tailored to the needs of the individual (in the US, Europe, and elsewhere). We believe it is important to stress this reality. Often, real-life clinical practice precedes the publication of evidence-based guidelines and research data.

Once we have the approval vote from USPATH Board, we can send via eblast to our database and post on the website.

Best Regards



[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Wednesday, May 4, 2022 12:54 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Request to help disseminate report critiquing science behind Texas and Alabama measures to criminalizing care

Hi [REDACTED] thanks for reaching out and for sharing this great effort with us, and thanks [REDACTED] for the connection. [REDACTED] nice to meet you and we are so grateful to have Adm. Levine's support on this matter.

I'd also like to share the recent position statement on this matter released last week by USPATH, which includes line-by-line rebuttals to the Florida DOH action.

<https://www.wpath.org/media/cms/Documents/USPATH/2022/With%20Date%20Position%20Statement%20Anti%20Trans%20Leg%20USPATH%20Apr%2022%202022.pdf?t=1650665621>

USPATH process for endorsement usually involves review by the full Board. I am in support of endorsing and will pass that recommendation along to the rest of our Board. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], can you please weigh in.

Relatedly, [REDACTED] I will be reaching out to you directly in the coming days to discuss a USPATH initiative in this area currently under development.

Best,

[REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 1:12 PM

To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Request to help disseminate report critiquing science behind Texas and Alabama measures to criminalizing care

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Dear [REDACTED],
thank you for reaching out and thank you for sharing the Report, which is most helpful and clearly points out the arguments as to why gender affirming care is vital to the lives of TGD people, young and older.
I am certainly more than happy to endorse this report on behalf of WPATH and we shall formally discuss this at the Executive Committee on Wednesday and get back to you and your co-authors ASAP.
Furthermore, I had meetings today with [REDACTED] and her staff at HSS and with [REDACTED]. I think it is important that we all work together to counteract those who oppose equality and evidence-based care for TGD people. It will be a tough fight, but we must fight relentlessly and aggressively to ensure equal access to care for all.
Hence, I would like to introduce you to [REDACTED], who is a member of [REDACTED] staff and may be able to help you forward with your report.
I am also copying [REDACTED] into this email, who is [REDACTED].
I am sure [REDACTED] will contact you separately, but I have no doubt USPATH will be highly supportive of your report too.
With warm wishes, and thank you again,
[REDACTED]

On 2022-05-02 18:41, [REDACTED] wrote:

Hello [REDACTED]

I hope you both are doing well. I recently collaborated with a group of colleagues from Yale University on the following report, which was released today:

Biased Science: The Texas and Alabama Measures Criminalizing Medical Treatment for Transgender Children and Adolescents Rely on Inaccurate and Misleading Scientific Claims

<https://medicine.yale.edu/childstudy/policy/lgbtq-youth/>

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<https://law.yale.edu/yls-today/news/new-report-refutes-flawed-science-texas-and-alabama-transgender-legal-actions>

I'm wondering if WPATH and/or USPATH could help disseminate the report and/or provide some form of endorsement? Any other ideas for dissemination are also welcome!

- Best,

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SOC 8

From: Joshua Safer <jsafer[REDACTED]>
To: marcibdoc[REDACTED], walterbouman
<walterbouman[REDACTED]>, vtangpi[REDACTED]
Date: Thu, 12 Aug 2021 12:27:39 -0400

Hi Walter, Marci, Vin, and [REDACTED]

I just got off a very productive call with Rachel Levine. The failure of WPATH to be ready with SOC 8 is proving a barrier to optimal policy progress and she was eager to learn when SOC 8 might be published.

My view is that this should be taken as a charge from the United States government to do what is required to complete the project immediately.

I am happy to have a quick call to discuss nuance if that would be helpful. And she would be happy to speak as well if that might move things along.

Josh