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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: The current regulatory oversight provided by the Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors which includes licensed professional counselors as well as public members ensures that all LPCs are well trained and adhere to high professional standards; therefore, Recommendation 3.2 places the public at risk. LPCs have a significant responsibility in regards to the health and safety of the clients they serve. This requires the oversight of an independent regulatory board that includes experienced licensed professionals.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Maintain the current regulatory oversight provided by the Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree