

From: [Sunset Advisory Commission](#)
To: [Janet Wood](#)
Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)
Date: Wednesday, November 16, 2016 8:14:20 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]
Sent: Wednesday, November 16, 2016 12:02 AM
To: Sunset Advisory Commission
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD EXAMINERS PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

First Name: Tamika

Last Name: Burns-Shepard

Title: LPC-S

Organization you are affiliated with: TCA

Email:

City: Houston

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I just wanted to voice some concerns with all disciplines under one umbrella and allow a governing body with no mental health background to govern the different disciplines. It isn't cost effective and client care will suffer tremendously which would possibly drive up cost even more.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I was just made aware of this go concern one day prior and haven't been able to think of any alternative other than the separate disciplines that already exists. Please take client care and cost when considering change.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree