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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]  
Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2016 6:18 PM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission  
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: HEALTH LICENSING CONSOLIDATION PROJECT

First Name: Rebecca

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Organization you are affiliated with:

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I respectfully submit my opposition to the proposal of combining the licensing and regulatory boards of multiple health care disciplines into one.

Within each specific health care discipline, there are particular nuances and discrepancies across the various professions, which would certainly be lost in translation with the loss of individual regulatory boards.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I recommend Texas government continues to celebrate the diversity of public health care services available to all Texans. Please continue to allow each profession to regulate as it has in the past, by continuing to focus on what it does best. Please continue allowing those folks who are trained in and best understand the inner-workings of a particular profession to continue serving the public and that profession through individual professional board service.

I contend that there is no better regulation than by that of your peers, who have similar knowledge and training. We put the public at risk for losing their access to well-regulated, diverse, health care options by assuming others trained outside a specific profession are well-equipped enough to regulate within another's profession. It is like sending a plumber to do an electrician's portion of a new home build; sure he may seem qualified in his own field, but would never do as satisfactory a job as even the most undertrained electrician would. Thank you for your consideration.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree