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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: I disagree - I teach a DWI Intervention class, and know it has made a difference in the lives of some of my students, and their families. Those of us who teach offender education are dedicated and hard-working; our education prepared us, and continuing ed keeps us up to date. We teach life style changes to help stop relapse. It would be a disaster to turn our jobs over to nonprofessionals.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: The TX legislature has closed substance abuse rehabilitation facilities that would accomodate those who can't pay. Do you now want to weaken the substance abuse educational programs? or do away with them, putting offenders in prisons? Please give substance abuse programs enough money to be effective!

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree