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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: Marriage and Family Therapist and Professional Counselor oversight should remain with DSHS, as we provide health care, and our fitness to practice should be reviewed by those who have some familiarity with mental health services. "Say no to moving LMFT's from DSHS. I am in favor of keeping our license with DSHS due to the fact that I am a Health Care provider, I do not want my license to be taxed to pay for the move, I am a Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist and a Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor, and I do not want it to be diminished due to a move to a department that works with occupational licenses."

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: none

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree