



Democrats vote to tear Gender-Affirming Healthcare from the hands of thousands

Op-Ed by Speaker /u/realNeezy of The Chesapeake Assembly

In their recent moves since achieving a Federal Trifecta, the Democratic Party has done some good, however now they choose to do exactly what they claim their opponents want, to rip healthcare from individuals who need it.

In S. 1, the National Healthcare Act of 2020 [\[1\]](#) all State Healthcare Services will be abolished and replaced with a single National Healthcare Service; this would be taking away popular programs in The Chesapeake [\[2*\]](#), Sierra [\[3\]](#), and Atlantic [\[4\]](#), and is a very clear downgrade from the state healthcare programs.

In Section 4 of the NHA2020, the author specified with wordings only understandable to the legal mind that this bill would invalidate and remove the local state-level healthcare systems and ignored the fact that multiple states already covered this and more, proceeding in Title IV removing programs the bill deems 'obsolete' and not having any specifications for the continuation of care covered by state healthcare but not by this new national healthcare plan.

One of the most striking aspects of the NHA2020 is how it contains all of the properties of Googcare [\[2*\]](#) save for the fact that the CHS provides for physically transitioning [\[5\]](#), covering the costly surgeries and drugs; And in Sierra they have State Universal Healthcare [\[3\]](#) and later amended it to explicitly include Medically Transitioning [\[6\]](#) with a bill written and signed into law by Governor Cypress Zairn during their time in office, and this, quite simply, means that

Gun-Control Neoliberal Democrat /u/CDocrwa and the CPP Chief Strategy Officer /u/zurikurta have shown more support for the Trans Community's healthcare than that of the former Socialist Party members such as the Senate Majority Leader, the Vice President, and the Speaker of the House.

The author, SML /u/darthholo, rushed the bill past committee and straight to a vote [7], meaning that even if they wanted to they could not prevent the stripping of Transgender-affirming Healthcare, damaging to their claimed reputation as a party of Allies and members of the LGBT+ community.

The Chesapeake Healthcare Services Act [2*] was and is immensely popular in The Chesapeake, with the whole Assembly voting in favor of the amended version [8] which included Transgender-affirming Healthcare.

If taken on its own and without the knowledge or existence of State Healthcare Programs this bill would be a net positive and help move the country forwards, however as it stands currently it removes coverage of many people's needs without providing an equal solution and leaving people behind in the dust if they do not fit with the new definitions of healthcare from DC.

As a member of the Transgender Community in The Chesapeake, I have fought for our rights in healthcare and equality, and this bill will rip the CHS to shreds and leave nothing to make up for Transgender Healthcare, meaning Transgender people who do not have the money to transition but desperately need to will be unable to.

It is also incredibly concerning to me that two Senators that I voted for, albeit one for another position, layed down and allowed this, compared to a Governor who fought for my rights last term and continues to serve as Governor, removing a unanimously adopted amendment for CHSA, most likely purely because they never thought about us.

It breaks my heart every time I hear the horror stories of parental abuse and the poverty that many members of my community are forced into, often times giving them prostitution as their only option for a job, which puts them at risk for STDs, murder, beatings, and a variety of other awful things that no one should be the victim of.

There is only so much that those of us who have been blessed can take care of, I will do my best to continue to serve and lift up the members of my community and protect as many of them from harm in The Chesapeake that I can, and I encourage others in both The Chesapeake and other states to do their part as well until the Federal Government fixes this grave error.

I would like to personally appeal to Senator /u/polkadot48, Senator /u/GoogMastr, and Carolina's House Representative /u/thehoodiegamer to work to fix this issue and continue to help move the country forwards into a future of love and acceptance.

And more broadly to the President, his cabinet, and the Vice President, please do your part in protecting impoverished Transgender people as well as Trans Youth who are being forced out of their homes for who they are.

Sincerely, Speaker of The Chesapeake Assembly, Constance sNeezy

*This is the unamended version of The Chesapeake Healthcare Services Act, the amended version is currently only available through combining the amendments proposed in the thread with the unamended version provided by Senator /u/GoogMastr.