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My name is Dr Doreen Gendreau- I am a resident of the town of Tiverton RI, and a Psychiatric Mental Health provider.

I oppose efforts to legalize assisted suicide in Rhode Island, and I plead with you all to vote against H7100 and any other similar effort.

Life is a gift.

Suicide of any kind, especially when A health "care" provider goes against everything we swear to uphold in order to assist that patient to end his/her life.

We have laws to hold patients and keep them offering them mental health treatment, who are at risk to themselves or others.

This is wrong- it is a slippery slope of epic proportions- puts REAL doctors and caregivers AGAINST those who seek to DO HARM.

Breaking the trust between the patient and the doctor. And beside all that- it is Wrong to kill what God has created.

Thanking you all, Doreen Gendreau

"We have been called to heal wounds, to unite what has fallen apart, and to bring home those who have lost their way." \sim St. Francis of Assisi $\mathbb{A} \circlearrowleft$