



Connecticut Republican Assembly

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Testimony in OPPOSITION of SB 1. **AN ACT EQUALIZING COMPREHENSIVE ACCESS TO MENTAL, BEHAVIORAL AND PHYSICAL HEALTH CARE IN RESPONSE TO THE PANDEMIC.** *To equalize comprehensive access to mental, behavioral and physical health care in response to the pandemic.*

Dear Chairmen and Members of the Public Health Committee,

This testimony is in opposition of the above bill an attempt to usurp our Freedom, Liberty and Rights. We the People need to continuously inform our elected representatives what we want in our government -- Our God-given Rights to do so under the Constitution of the United States, as well as the Connecticut Constitution.

Although this bill attempts to purport care and compassion to help individuals, the devil is always in the details; It begins with exit interviews for children whose parents are removing their children from the public school system--- the Right for parents to educate one's own children and make decisions forthwith, and when the public schools are neglecting to have developmentally appropriate education in the public schools they can make choices to see what is best for their own child/ren;

Why are so many parents removing their children from the public schools?

Many of us question as to whether children in the state of Connecticut are actually receiving an education under Common Core: the developmentally inappropriate "system" and question the trauma that this is causing children and families -- could this be a reason that individuals have been removing their children from the public schools? [9 Reasons Why Common Core is Bad for Education](#)

This bill then adds "Critical Race Theory" into its narrative. Critical Race Theory is a Marxist concept which is a dangerous and divisive thought process being pushed into our towns and schools <https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/opinion/critical-race-theory-is-dangerous-here-e2-80-99s-how-to-fight-it/ar-BB1exOeq>

Many may watch the Manhattan Institute's Coleman Hughes interview with Chris Rufo and Attorney John Yoo on [The Parent-Led Challenge To Critical Race Theory](#). We the People are aware that the Hegelian Dialectic has been deposited upon our towns and schools, and this challenge can assist us with what we can do to help one another.

In closing, SB 1 is another attempt to create a law for a problem that doesn't exist, divide people and increase overreach and growth of our state government. Vote No.

God Bless,

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