Endorsing the Patient's Right to Know Act

Whereas, a just society guarantees to all of its citizens the opportunity to access to all treatments and procedures that are medically and legally available, we, the congregation of The Unitarian Church in Westport, by a vote of our Board of Trustees, endorse The Patient's Right to Know Act* requiring any health care provider making treatment decisions based on religious beliefs to inform patients of any treatments or services not provided based on those beliefs.

Further, we call upon members of Connecticut's General Assembly to pass this legislation and for the Governor to sign it into law.

Approved by the Board of Trustees of the Unitarian Church in Westport on (date).

(Secretary submission)

*Note: This Act would also require health care providers to inform insurance companies, state and federal agencies, and any grant-making agencies about any health care related services or treatments not provided due to the provider's religious beliefs.