



### CA Senate Testimony Exposes What "Gender Affirming" Care Really Is

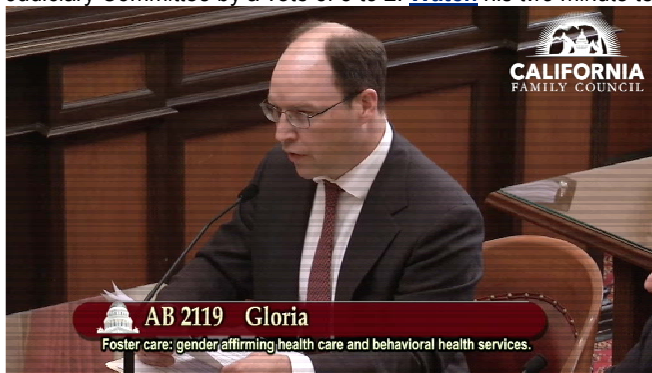
Dr. Michael Laidlaw, endocrine glands and hormones specialist, has been an ally in our fight to stop AB 2119, a bill that pushes puberty blocking drugs and sex change operations on foster kids with gender confusion. We were glad to have his help several weeks ago to explain to legislators what is meant by "gender affirming care," something being guaranteed to foster kids in AB 2119.

Although "gender affirming care" sounds gentle and healing, here is a short list of what it includes:

1. Powerful, dangerous hormones to block kids normal puberty;
2. High dose, high risk sex hormones with deadly blood clot and cancer risks;
3. Hazardous surgeries for boys to turn intestines into imitation vaginas, while destroying the penis and removing the testicles;
4. Breast binders and mastectomies to destroy teenage girls healthy breast tissue; Ovary and uterus removal ensuring sterility.

**This bill was Passed  
by the Legislature and  
Approved by  
Governor Brown on  
September 14, 2018.  
Voting Record  
On Other Side**

Despite Dr. Laidlaw's warning, AB 2119 was approved by the Senate Judiciary Committee by a vote of 5 to 2. [Watch](#) his two minute testimony:



The bill will now be heard in the Senate Appropriations Committee on August 6. [Call committee members](#) and tell them to vote no on AB 2119.

# The Voting Record

The Gender Affirming Health Care bill, AB 2119, was signed into law by Governor Jerry Brown (Democrat) on September 14, 2018.

Voting NO on the Gender Affirming Health Care bill, AB 2119 were the 34 Republicans (R) and 0 Democrats (D) listed here:

Assembly Members: Acosta (R), Travis Allen (R), Bigelow (R), Brough (R), Chávez (R), Chen (R), Choi (R), Cunningham (R), Dahle (R), Flora (R), Fong (R), Gallagher (R), Harper (R), Kiley (R), Lackey (R), Mathis (R), Melendez (R), Obernolte (R), Patterson (R), Steinorth (R), Voepel (R), Waldron (R)

Senators: Anderson (R), Bates (R), Chang (R), Fuller (R), Gaines (R), Moorlach (R), Morrell (R), Nguyen (R), Nielsen (R), Stone (R), Vidak (R), Wilk (R)

Voting YES on the Gender Affirming Health Care bill, AB 2119 were the 1 Republican (R) and 78 Democrats (D) listed here:

Assembly Members: Aguiar-Curry (D), Arambula (D), Baker (R), Berman (D), Bloom (D), Bonta (D), Burke (D), Caballero (D), Calderon (D), Carrillo (D), Cervantes (D), Chau (D), Chiu (D), Chu (D), Cooper (D), Daly (D), Frazier (D), Friedman (D), Gabriel (D), Cristina Garcia (D), Eduardo Garcia (D), Gipson (D), Gloria (D), Gonzalez Fletcher (D), Gray (D), Holden (D), Irwin (D), Jones-Sawyer (D), Kalra (D), Kamlager-Dove (D), Levine (D), Limón (D), Low (D), McCarty (D), Medina (D), Mullin (D), Muratsuchi (D), Nazarian (D), O'Donnell (D), Quirk (D), Quirk-Silva (D), Reyes (D), Rivas (D), Rodriguez (D), Rubio (D), Salas (D), Santiago (D), Mark Stone (D), Thurmond (D), Ting (D), Weber (D), Wood (D), Rendon (D)

Senators: Allen (D), Atkins (D), Beall (D), Bradford (D), De León (D), Delgado (D), Dodd (D), Galgiani (D), Glazer (D), Hernandez (D), Hertzberg (D), Hill (D), Hueso (D), Jackson (D), Lara (D), Leyva (D), McGuire (D), Mitchell (D), Monning (D), Pan (D), Portantino (D), Roth (D), Skinner (D), Stern (D), Wieckowski (D), Wiener (D)

Not voting on the Gender Affirming Health Care bill, AB 2119 were the 1 Republican (R) and 6 Democrats (D) listed here:

Assembly Members: Cooley (D), Eggman (D), Grayson (D), Maienschein (D), Mayes (R)

Senators: Berryhill (D), Cannella (D)