

#### On behalf of the YPDA,

- Crisis Pregnancy Centers, also known as CPCs, exist for the sole purpose of convincing women to carry their pregnancies to term regardless of the best interest of either mother or fetus.
- Many CPCs will intentionally spread misinformation about the nature of a pregnancy or the legal, physiological or mental ramifications of abortion.
  - A Place for Women in Waipio specifically offers "Abortion Recovery Classes" to help women overcome "Post Abortion Syndrome" which they define as a medical condition tantamount to PTSD. I will note here that while it is certainly *possible* for women to suffer from post traumatic stress disorder resulting from an abortion, no such syndrome exists in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, the standard by which every health care provider identifies and diagnoses mental health issues in the US.
  - In addition, the standard of care at places that offer abortion services, such as Planned Parenthood, is such that every woman going through the procedure is given every available resource and comfort.
- Some CPCs force women to watch anti-abortion films, slideshows, view photos intended to scare or receive biased, unfactual lectures in order to receive service.
- CPCs often advertise themselves as legitimate medical care centers, using keywords like "family planning services" or "abortion alternatives" to lure women in.
- CPCs disproportionately target teenagers, young women and women without easy access to actual medical services.
- This is again particularly true of A Place for Women, as they advertise before Consolidated Movie screenings of films that target teenagers and young adults. These advertisements never mention that they are a religiously backed, pro-life institution, only that they offer family planning and pregnancy testing services.
- In this quote collected from NARAL Pro-Choice America's CPC fact-sheet, an Arizona
  man whose 16-year-old daughter had been raped describes the experience that she had
  after he mistakenly brought her to a CPC, "After being shown "brutal
  footage" including pictures of dismembered fetuses, the man claimed that, "they
  just emotionally raped her... They are advocates for the unborn, and to hell
  with the troubled person. They had an ax to grind, and just terrorized her.""
- Hawai'i has the unfortunate distinction of being the home of these centers. In 1967, Robert Pearson opened the first clinic in the history of the US here on Oahu. On the subject of CPCs, he had been quoted as saying "Obviously, we're fighting Satan. A killer, who in this case is the girl who wants to kill her baby, has no right to information that will help her."
  - These places, by the admission of their creator, do not exist to help women seeking medical care but rather impede them at every opportunity.
- We must regulate these centers such that women are aware that they are not receiving actual medical care. It is on this point that we offer the following suggestions:

- That the penalty for failing to comply with this law be raised sharply. In Hawai'i, a single parent will pay roughly \$172,000 in costs related to child raising in the first 18 years of life. Compared to that, an initial \$500 and later \$1,000 fine for repeat offenses pales in comparison. Though it is not possible to charge them the full cost of a child whose mother has been coerced into giving birth, we strongly recommend that the board impose a stronger monetary deterrent to noncompliance.
  - Consider that the federal penalty for simply illegally downloading a movie can be as high as \$30,000. I think that we are all aware which one of these offenses carries a higher human cost.
- That the penalty not be deposited into the general fund but rather specifically be directed towards state funding for greater access to reproductive health education and services. It is even noted within the bill's language that thousands of women are in need of access to such care. Establishing that the penalties from noncompliance are directed towards further funding can help enable services to be more widely available, especially to underserved communities on the outer islands. It is worth noting that the rate of unintended pregnancy specifically in Hawai'i and Kaua'i Counties are higher than those in Honolulu County as per a Hawai'i State Dept of Health survey in 2010

Thank you very much for taking the time to review this testimony,

Maile Murphy Civil Rights Committee Chairperson Hawai'i Chapter of the Young Progressives Demanding Action

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# February 3, 2017

# TESTIMONY TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH AND COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

## **RE: SENATE BILL NO.501**

My name is Dr. Vivien Wong. I am a board certified radiologist with medical license to practice in the State of Hawaii and California. As a physician and diagnostic radiologist, I am trained to supervise and interpret all imaging modalities including ultrasound. As the medical director at "A Place for Women in Waipio", a faith based pro-life center, I oversee the medical services provided.

The center provides free pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, and counseling to all women. All the services are provided free. Limited OB ultrasounds are performed under the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine (AIUM) practice guidelines. These guidelines were developed in conjunction with the American College of Radiology (ACR), American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) and the Society of Radiologists in Ultrasound (SRU). In addition, the center is affiliated with national organizations such as National Institute of Family and Life Advocates (NIFLA), CareNet, and Heartbeat International. The center's policies and procedures are based on guidelines set forth from these organizations, and it is fully HIPAA compliant.

The center's goal is to provide the highest standard of care to women of all ages. We provide comprehensive educational services that accurately address all issues pertinent to women's health. The services are provided in a safe, private, non-judgmental environment where life is embraced. Each individual who comes to the center is fully aware that we are Pro-life and therefore we do not perform abortions or refer for non-medically indicated abortions. However, all clients are encouraged to seek medical care from qualified healthcare providers following services provided at the center for prenatal care, sexually transmitted infection testing and treatment, and other medically indicated reproductive health services.

As a physician who has taken the Hippocratic oath, and a Christian, I am Pro-life. I realize many of my physician colleagues believe that women should be able to make free choices in regards to their health including reproductive health. It is a position I hold as well. However, it is my belief that these pro-choice clinics, by providing the "ultimate solution," with their list of choices, really only place an emphasis on one choice. I believe that when a woman is given an opportunity, she will choose life over death. The center solely exists to provide this opportunity to all women.

A Place for Women in Waipio strives to provide education on all aspects of women's

health. This education covers everything from STDs, fetal growth, pre-natal care, and even the entire abortion process. The intention of the bill, to provide safe, secure, and confidential care to all women, is one that I agree with wholeheartedly. However, the mandate in this bill that a pro-life center must explicitly emphasize a choice through a simple placard or pamphlet is the antithesis of what the center stands for.

Please oppose SB501. It is a bill that does nothing in improving women's health-care while also targeting pro-life centers that provide their services free of charge with vulnerabilities to lawsuits and fines. This measure ultimately damages a woman's access to all choices. In actuality, she would be eventually given one choice.

Sincerely,

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Vivien C. Wong M.D.

My name is Morgen Trube; I am currently a college senior studying Public Health, as well as the president of Planned Parenthood's Generation Action at HPU. I stand in strong support of this bill.

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About three years ago I thought I might be pregnant. Being an out of state college student, it was hard to find doctors that would take my medical insurance. I called unsuccessfully to a number of OB/GYN's so I went straight to Planned Parenthood. When I got there they didn't have any time for walk in's and I couldn't get an appointment to see a doctor for a couple of weeks so I Googled "Free pregnancy test in Oahu". The first add that came up was a sponsored add, "A Place for Women in Waipio" a crisis pregnancy center that offered free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, and they could see me that day.

When I walked through the doors about 4 women greeted me, asked me for my information and then walked me back to what they called a counseling room. I immediately felt incredibly uncomfortable and knew I made a huge mistake. They asked me how far along I thought I was, if I was in a committed relationship, what my religion was, if I was considering an abortion and if I believed that life began at conception. After all of the questions, the women proceeded to tell me their personal stories about abortion and how they wish they never would have gotten one and put the baby up for adoption instead.

After their stories, I then had to watch a video about how life begins at conception and how abortion is murder. After the video was over, all of the women came back in and asked me the same round of questions again (if I was in a committed relationship, what my religion was, if I was considering an abortion and if I believed that life began at conception) to see if I had changed my answers. They also showed me little plastic figures of what babies looked like inside of a woman's womb in each stage of pregnancy to show that they looked like people. I don't really know how long this took, but it had to have taken about an hour. At this point I was just going along with what they were saying because I needed to know if I was pregnant or not.

Finally, I was escorted into the bathroom and I was given a pregnancy test. After I finished they took me back to the counseling room and we waited for my results by watching another video along the same lines as the first video. Once my results came back and they told me I was pregnant, they then took me into the ultra sound room and offered to tell me how far along I was.

The whole ultrasound, all four of the women stayed in there with me and asked me about my relationship with my partner, my relationship with God and just kept telling me how excited they were for me.

Finally once I got done with the ultrasound, the lady who checked me in had signed me up for a pregnancy tracking website and added all of my personal information into it so I would get emails about the progress of my baby. They printed out the ultra sound picture and put it in a frame with "Baby Trube" written on it as well as tons of other "resources" that talked about pregnancy, why I should chose life and about how God says abortion is wrong. As they were giving me all of this information they were also showing me a room that the clinic had of baby clothes, supplies and anything else I could possibly need for the baby that was donated from the church members next door. They were insisting that I took some "to get me started." I finally insisted that I had to leave right away. As soon as I got out of the door, I took all of the resources they gave me and threw them straight into their trashcan.

As I drove home, I felt like I had just stepped out of twilight zone and I couldn't believe what I just went through. All I wanted was somebody who could help me, but instead it felt like the only thing they cared about was the baby. It was never about my health, about what I wanted for myself in life, or how I was feeling. Instead they focused all of their energy on how horrible abortion is and that if I got an abortion and I would never forgive myself, and more importantly, God would never forgive me.

I can't tell you how it makes me feel to be standing here today telling you my story. It was a really painful time for me and this situation was incredibly horrible. To know that you care about this issue and you are willing to help to make sure that no one else has to go through what I went through is really meaningful to me. Everyone, including women, deserves not only access to healthcare, but to unbiased and factual care that is free of manipulative facts and tactics. All I wanted was somebody who could help me, but instead it felt like the only thing they cared about was the baby. It was never about my health, what I wanted for myself in life, or how I was feeling.

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Please support this bill to regulate crisis pregnancy centers. Women have the right to know that these places aren't actual medical facilities providing fact base care, their privacy is not protected and their only interest is to persuade you out of making choices for yourself. Thank you very much for listening.



Eunice MacDonald 4220 Glennwood Drive Killeen, Texas 76542 February 3, 2017

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Eunice MacDonald. I currently reside in Texas, and in 2001 I exercised the right to have an abortion in this state at a Planned Parenthood facility. I had no idea that my decision would be so detrimental to my overall health even though I chose to have an abortion and I chose to bury my thoughts/feelings about it for years I wasn't okay.

However, it was while attending the Forgiven and Set Free Bible Study (post-abortive study group) in 2015 at A Place for Women in Waipio that I came to terms with my abortion that I found healing. Facilities like A Place for Women, Aloha Pregnancy Care & Counseling Center, Pregnancy Problem Center, LDS Family Services, and Catholic Charities Family Services offer not only post-abortive counseling but alternatives to abortions which I believe every woman should have access to. I believe these establishments offer women facing a crisis pregnancy what is truly in their best interest as they stand to gain nothing from these women but are invested in their lives. Which is why they offer safe alternative options to abortion so that they can face their unplanned pregnancy with confidence. They provide community referrals and resources that these mothers may not have been aware of as well as refer them to adoption agencies in which these women can chose to have either open, semi-open or closed adoptions and as stated above post-abortive counseling for mother's suffering in silence because of an abortion. I ask with deepest respect that you consider the testimony of post-abortive women who have suffered or are still suffering because of an abortion when weighing your decision.

Sincerely,

Gunice MacDonald

Eunice MacDonald 4220 Glennwood Drive Killeen, Texas 76542

Dear Honorable Senators and Representatives,



### I respectfully wish to express my strong opposition to HB 663 and SB 501.

In my opinion, HB 663 and SB 501 forcing "limited service pregnancy centers" such as The Pregnancy Center in Kailua Kona to provide abortion information is **comparable to the State of Hawaii dictating that a vegetarian restaurant must start serving meat**. Just as it is highly objectionable that the government interfere in private business to require a vegetarian restaurant owner to promote the murder of animals to be prepared and eaten at his establishment, it is highly objectionable that the government interfere in a faith-based entity to require a pro-life organization to promote the murder of human babies at their establishment for the convenience or "pursuit of happiness" of the mother.

I am a woman who finds the idea of murdering my unborn children abhorrent, yet sees the tremendous need to help women in crisis, thus I am a financial donor for The Pregnancy Center in Kailua Kona, which is a faith-based "limited service pregnancy center" funded 100% by private contributions. I am very impressed with the quality of information and services provided by The Pregnancy Center, which, by the way, are provided 100% free of charge, in case these proposed bills are about the cost to clients. I am also very pleased that they provide very practical help to women and men as a Pro-Life option on this island. If proponents truly are Pro-Choice rather than rigidly Pro-Abortion, they should not be offended by the Choice of a Pro-Life option for the help and support of women in need, especially when there is no taxpayer funding for the "limited service pregnancy centers" (as opposed to my being forced, as a taxpayer, to fund abortions against my will).

The US Constitution has us granted the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Where one person's rights run counter to another's rights, I believe that the order stated should give preference, thus **the right to life should supersede the right to pursuit of happiness.** For example, a person wishing to kill another person whom he feels is impeding his happiness does not have a Constitutionally-protected right to kill that other person. In the same way, I believe that a mother does not have the right to commit infanticide, to murder her own child, merely because the very young vulnerable age and location of the child unable to speak for him/herself is in her womb. I believe in the sanctity of life, not merely quality of life and expendability of inconvenient life.

HB 663 and SB 501 would not only create undue hardship on our Pregnancy Center in Kona with the language/interpretation requirements, causing clients to be turned away, but more important, they appear to violate Constitutional rights to freedom of speech and freedom of religion by requiring the promotion of abortions. I cannot imagine that these bills, if passed into law, would not result in challenges in the courts.

I urge you to kill these bills, both for the sake of the Hawaii state budget (to prevent costly court battles) and for the sake of the many people The Pregnancy Center serves in Kona.

Thank you so much for your consideration of this request.

Aloha, Sheryl Henderson 73-4328 AkaAka Pl Kailua Kona, HI 96740



Cindy Sasaki 94-205 Hokulewa Loop Mililani, HI 96789

February 2, 2017

## TESTIMONY TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH AND COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

For Hearing on Friday, February 3, 2017, 9:30 a.m., Conference Room 016

### Re: Senate Bill No. 501 Relating to Health

Dear CHAIRPERSON, ROSALYN H. BAKER, VICE CHAIR, CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH AND CHAIRPERSON, GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARAN, VICE CHAIR KARL RHOADS AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR:

Thank you for the opportunity to testify IN OPPOSITION to SB 501.

I am a volunteer at a pregnancy resource center here on Oahu. I chose to volunteer at A Place for Women in Waipio because I am passionate about educating women, faced with an unplanned pregnancy, with information about ALL of their options (unlike I was), while showing them care, compassion, and the love of Christ. During my own experience with an unplanned pregnancy, I was not given any counseling as to what my options were, nor was I told that I was carrying a life with a heart that was already beating. Rather, I was told only of what the risks of having general anesthesia were for an abortion and that was it. Nothing was presented as to the risks of the abortion procedure itself or the possible physical, emotional, psychological and spiritual effects an abortion would have on my life.

I believe that life begins at conception and ending that life with an abortion is wrong. By requiring me to hand out any information promoting abortion or telling a woman where she can obtain an abortion, would violate my First Amendment right to freedom of religion, because it is in direct conflict with my beliefs as Christian. My right to freedom of speech would also be violated because I would be forced say and promote something I don't believe in.

I ask that you please oppose SB 501. Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony.

Sincerely,

Cindy Sasaki

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Bing	Individual	Oppose	No

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Lynn M Ishikawa	Individual	Oppose	No

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Lynn Onderko	Individual	Support	No

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Marcel Colombo	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: The thought of this bill passing goes against all religious rights of the members that volunteer at those clinics. It does not make sense to require women who see abortion as such a destructive act, which several have had, to force them to refer people to an abortion clinic.

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Karen Edwards	Individual	Oppose	Yes

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Deborah Ong	Individual	Oppose	No

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Vanessa Orpilla	Individual	Oppose	No

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Jody Groen	e Individual	Oppose	No

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Mindy Doyle	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: The idea of the separation of church and state was not intended to protect the government from religion, but rather to protect religion and the faithful from persecution by the government, as had been happening all over Europe prior to the founding of the U.S. Faith-based pregnancy services are not forcing anyone to do anything; they are providing faith-based alternatives to the overwhelmingly favored pro-abortion position in America. Faith-based groups even provide counseling for post-abortion patients. Faith-based groups such as A Place for Women in Waipio provide their services free of charge. The reality of the availability of legal abortion in America is shouted from the rooftops, from TV, to music, to movies, to friends and family and acquaintances, to public education, to books, to magazines, to the internet, to the government, to social media, and beyond. It is not the place or right of the Hawaii state government to force their pro-abortion beliefs on the moral conscience of faith-based pregnancy service providers. This goes against the very foundation of the original intent of the separation of church and state. Are you committed to upholding the constitution of the United States of America, or to forcing your personal beliefs on others who believe differently? I sincerely hope you respect your position as a lawmaker to support and defend the constitution over your personal political and moral views. Thank you.

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Trenna Davenport	Individual	Oppose	No

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Mary Overbay	Individual	Support	No

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Nick Bacoka	Individual	Oppose	No	

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Mary Ward	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Nobody should be forced to direct another individual to do something that is against their moral, ethical and/or religious beliefs. This is directly in violation of freedom of speech.

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Shane Ward	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I do not believe anyone should be forced to give out information about a subject that goes against their religious beliefs. This is against our freedom of speech.

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