

American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update

Seeking to Expose Attacks on Faith, Family and Freedom with a few wins thrown in

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News from Around PA

During a **Transgender Day of Remembrance** gathering at the Pennsylvania Capitol in Harrisburg, PA Democrats are promising to push the so-called Fairness Act which would add sexual orientation and gender identity to the PA Human Relations Act, impacting employment, housing and public accommodations. This would open female private spaces to males who identify as female and allow men in women's sports.

The **Independent Regulatory Review Commission** voted 4 to 1 to approve changes proposed by the Department of Human Services, This vote will eliminate language spelling out that parents must be granted access to health records related to mental health treatment for children under age 14. If the child is receiving outpatient mental health services, there is now no requirement that the minor's parents be notified. If the teen is admitted for inpatient treatment, the parents would be notified but they would have no authority to stop the treatment.

News from National Scene

During an interview on NPR, **Abdul El-Sayed**, who is set to become the first Muslim to serve in the United States Senate, has announced that he intends to use the Quran during his ceremonial swearing-in.

HR 10954 **"Don't Flush Babies Act"** has been referred to the House Energy and Commerce Committee. First, it would require a warning label on every chemical abortion package which says, "DO NOT FLUSH THE FETUS OR SOLID MEDICAL WASTE GENERATED BY USE OF THIS DRUG." Second it would require abortion providers who prescribe, distribute or encourage the use of abortion drugs to provide each woman with a "catch kit" designed to hold the human remains and medical waste produced during a chemical abortion. The used catch kits are returned to their abortion providers, which the bill would require to arrange for the burial or cremation of human fetal remains. NOTE: Does such a bill really address the abortion issue?? Yes, the aborted baby is buried or cremated and not flushed down the toilet, but there's still a dead baby! The Comstock Act of 1873 outlaws the mailing of items which cause abortion!

An 18-foot sculpture named 'Witness" was quietly installed in front of **Rung for Women**, a "center" that says its purpose is to empower women's career advancement. The creator of the sculpture says the image was created as an abortion message following the *Dobbs* decision that overturned *Roe.* Thus, their message is abortion is necessary for career advancement!

Although **Democrats don't take control in Texas until January,** several state lawmakers are already making plays to undo the protections of unborn that are currently in the law.

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