

# ASSEMBLY FLOOR ALERT, MONDAY, AUG. 29

## SB 1419 (Becker) -- OPPOSE

### Don't eliminate parental rights

#### Which parental rights would SB 1419 eliminate? Let's unpack the bill:

##### 1. PROHIBITS PARENTS from seeing their own children's health records:

In Section 2 of the bill, Section 123115 of the Health and Safety Code is amended to read:  
123115. (a) The representative of a minor shall not be entitled to inspect or obtain copies of the minor's patient records, including clinical notes, in any of the following circumstances."

2. By eliminating numerous parental rights in existing law, SB 1419 PROHIBITS FATHERS AND MOTHERS FROM SEEING THEIR OWN CHILDREN'S RECORDS having to do with "pregnancy," "an infectious, contagious, or communicable disease," "a sexually transmitted disease," "rape," "sexual assault," "medical care and counseling for a drug- or alcohol-related problem," "intimate partner violence," "HIV test," and "mental health treatment or counseling services."

"(3) When records relate to services described in Section 6924, 6925, 6926, 6927, 6928, 6929, or 6930 of the Family Code, or Section 121020 or 124260 of this code..."

Family Code §6924: "mental health treatment or counseling services"

Family Code §6925: "pregnancy"

Family Code §6926: "an infectious, contagious, or communicable disease" or "a sexually transmitted disease"

Family Code §6927: "rape"

Family Code §6928: "sexual assault"

Family Code §6929: "medical care and counseling for a drug- or alcohol-related problem"

Family Code §6930: "intimate partner violence"

Health and Safety Code §121020: "an HIV test"

Health and Safety Code §124260: "mental health treatment or counseling services"

SB 1419 is the antithesis of parental involvement. This bill separates dads and moms from their children in situations where parental love, insight, and protection are needed. Parents' rights are in existing law for a good reason: Children belong to their parents, not the State.

**DON'T ELIMINATE PARENTAL RIGHTS. OPPOSE SB 1419.**