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To: Senator Michael O'Donnell
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Re: Senate Bill 497

Senator,

At a time when we have seen the incidence of infant mortality and low-birth rates on the rise in Sedgwick County, someone sponsors a bill to reduce the ability of health care providers to screen at-risk women? If the responsibility of our conservative representatives and senators includes protecting the unborn and embracing sanctity of life, then this bill would work directly against such positions.

I encourage you to 'kill' this bill and allow women and their respective health care providers the freedom to discuss the advantages of birth risk screenings and keep the government (KDHE in this case) out of that trusted relationship.

Blessings!

Dave