

HOUSE No. 1464

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Ruth B. Balsler

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to enhancing integrated mental health and health care.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Ruth B. Balsler</i> | <i>12th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/20/2011</i> |
| <i>Angelo M. Scaccia</i> | <i>14th Suffolk</i> | <i>2/3/2011</i> |

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By Ms. Balsler of Newton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1464) of Ruth B. Balsler and Angelo M. Scaccia for legislation to include psychologists in the definition of nursing practice. Public Health.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven
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An Act relative to enhancing integrated mental health and health care.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 80B of chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "dentists" in line 13 the word
- 3 "psychologists."