

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2062**

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**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 increasing access to psychological services.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Ruth B. Balsler</i>	<i>12th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/21/2021</i>
<i>Adam J. Scanlon</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>	<i>1/22/2021</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>	<i>2/16/2021</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/17/2021</i>
<i>Michael S. Day</i>	<i>31st Middlesex</i>	<i>2/26/2021</i>

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By Ms. Balsler of Newton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2062) of Ruth B. Balsler and others relative to payments for psychological services provided by MassHealth. Mental Health, Substance Use and Recovery.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1697 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to increasing access to psychological services.

*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. Chapter 118E of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 10 H the following new section:-

3           Section 10 I. The division shall cover treatment, diagnostic evaluations, assessment,  
4 testing and supervisory services provided by licensed psychologists.