



Honorable Timothy Murphy, Ph.D.
U.S. House of Representatives
2332 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Murphy:

Thank you for your sponsorship of the "Helping Families in Mental Health Crisis Act of 2013," a bill to improve care and treatment of those suffering from severe mental illness and their loved ones.

We appreciate your leadership in addressing the needs of this vulnerable population that is too often overlooked. Many of the reforms proposed in your bill would reshape the delivery of mental health services in the United States, giving those most in need better access to life-saving treatment.

The Treatment Advocacy Center wholeheartedly supports this legislation and applauds your efforts on behalf of those who live with the most severe psychiatric diseases.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Doris A. Fuller". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letter of each name being capitalized and prominent.

Doris A. Fuller
Executive Director
Treatment Advocacy Center