



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY  
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

## 72<sup>ND</sup> STUDENT SENATE Senate Resolution

### Resolution 2

**Primary Sponsor:** Senator Sojos

**Co-Sponsor(s):** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Date:** November 7, 2019

**Whereas:** A significant minority of students in Florida State University are under 18 years of age and therefore not able to give legal adult consent, and

**Whereas:** Medical Services provided to students in the Health and Wellness center require legal adult consent, and

**Whereas:** Legal consent to treat within a Florida State University medical facility is obtained through the completion of the HIIPA Consent to Treat form, and

**Whereas:** Students under 18 years of age have been allowed to register for classes and attend Florida State University without having a HIIPA Consent to Treat Form within their medical portfolio, and

**Whereas:** There have been cases of students under 18 years of age being denied needed medical service at the moment of a scheduled appointment, due to the absence of the HIIPA Consent to Treat Form from their medical records, therefore

**Be it resolved by the Seventy-second Student Senate at Florida State University that:** The HIIPA Consent to Treat form be directly sent to all students under 18 years of age, and to their legal parent(s) or guardian(s), following the given minor student's enrollment at Florida State University.

**Be it further resolved that:** A copy of this resolution be sent to the following individuals: Dr. Danielle Acosta, Director of Student Governance and Advocacy; Dr. Amy Hecht, Vice President for Student Affairs; John Thrasher, President of Florida State University; Hege Ferguson, Director of Admissions; Dr. Amy Magnuson, Director of the Health and Wellness Center; Jack Denton, Student Senate President; Evan Steinberg, Student Body President

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*Jack Denton*  
Student Senate President

SENATE VOTE: 38Y-2N-1A  
PASSED: 15<sup>th</sup> of JANUARY, 2020