

To Whom it May Concern

Good morning I am writing this letter in regards to Senate Bill # 2305 Family Paid Service Program. My name is Latecia Menet, 60yr old grandma that is a guardian of a 4yr old grandson with traumatic brain injury. He requires around the clock care. From changing his diaper, dressing, bathing, feeding taking to & from his appointments such as OT, PT, Speech Feeding and where ever else he may need to go. He is the light of my world & I love him beyond words but bottom line if his care & needs were not met he would die. When this program 1st came out I was probably one of the 1st one to submit my application. My issue was I was denied because I didn't fill out the assessment correctly I really didn't know what I was doing & I answered the questions to what I thought best fit my grandson it would of helped if there was a WA box to mark or a box to explain more about him. I even got legal assistance but still was

denied. I ^{was} really angry ^{1/3}, upset ^{2/3}
disappointed about this but life
goes on. I think you need to
make this a permanent program
and so I can apply again and
more families can benefit
from this program. After all
nobody knows what someone
goes through until you walk
in their shoes

God Bless

Thank you for
listening
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