



# NORTH DAKOTA

## *Family Alliance* LEGISLATIVE ACTION

### Testimony Supporting House Bill 1511

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Good afternoon, Chairman Ruby and honorable members of the House Human Services Committee. My name is Jacob Thomsen, and I am a Policy Analyst with North Dakota Family Alliance Legislative Action. I am testifying on behalf of our organization in support of House Bill 1511 and respectfully request that you render a “DO PASS” on this bill.

Since the 2023 Legislative Session, when this body passed the bill that created a 6-week abortion ban in our Century Code, we have heard about fears and concerns from individuals around our state saying that OBGYNs no longer know what they can and cannot do. This bill directly addresses those concerns and educates our OBGYNs so that there is no question as to whether they can safely practice obstetrics in this state.

For this reason, North Dakota Family Alliance Legislative Action respectfully requests that you render a “DO PASS” on House Bill 1511. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to testify, I will stand for any questions.