

Senator Rotundo, Representative Gattine, Senator Ingwersen, Representative Meyer, and members of the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services, my name is Leigh Beaulieu and I live in Durham.

Where do you turn today if you need family planning advice? Maine's family planning clinics.

70% of patients who received care through Maine's family planning care network in 2023 had low incomes. Family planning care funding would help ensure Maine's most vulnerable can continue to access the care they need.

As a lifelong Mainer, I ask you to fund family planning centers in our state. Let's take care of our own. Everyone deserves to feel safe and supported when it comes to their reproductive health care. Everyone deserves access.

To ensure we are taking care of our own when it comes to family planning care, please vote to include LD 143 in the budget.

Thanks,

Leigh