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**To:** House Health and Human Services Committee  
**Cc:** PolicastroGroup@gmail.com; Rep. Baginski, Jacquelyn M.  
**Subject:** Support Bill H-5351

Dear Rhode Island Department of Health,

I am writing to express my strong support for allowing registered nurses (RNs) to practice aesthetics in Rhode Island. As a patient who prioritizes both safety and high-quality care, RNs are my provider of choice for aesthetic treatments.

In my experience, RNs consistently provide exceptional care, combining their extensive medical knowledge with a patient-centered approach. They ensure that every procedure is performed safely and effectively while taking the time to educate me on the benefits, risks, and proper aftercare. Their expertise in anatomy, pharmacology, and patient assessment makes them well-qualified to administer aesthetic treatments with precision and professionalism.

Restricting RNs from practicing in this field would limit access to skilled providers and force patients like myself to seek care elsewhere, potentially from individuals with less comprehensive medical training. I trust RNs with my aesthetic care and believe they should have the opportunity to continue offering these services within their scope of practice.

I respectfully urge you to support the ability of RNs to practice aesthetics in Rhode Island, ensuring that patients like myself can continue to receive safe, high-quality, and expert care from the providers we trust most.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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