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Dear Rep LaMountain, Rep Bissailon, Rep Patalano, Rep Murray, Rep Felag, Rep Urso, Rep Apollonius, Rep Britto, and Rep Burke,

My name is Kathleen Mulcahey and I am a resident of Bristol RI. I'm writing to request your support for S 2455. This bill would mandate health insurance company cover the costs for scalp cooling for cancer patients.

Most if not all of you know someone you love who has had to fight this disease, perhaps maybe yourself. As you now chemotherapy therapy treatment is grueling. Recognizing this, most insurance companies will cover that costs for supportive service while under going treatment. For some reason the insurance companies have made the choice not to cover the costs for scalp cooling, despite it being FDA approved. As a woman who has had to undergo chemotherapy I can assure you that loosing your hair causes needless and unnecessary stress when you are at your weakest.

I am asking you for your support is making sure this bill S 2455 is passed this year. You can do your part to help support people who are facing not only a life threatening disease but exhausting treatments.

Please support S 2455

Thank you,  
Kathleen Mulcahey  
Bristol RI