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Good morning,

I am in support of Bill S-2455 which mandates insurance coverage for scalp cooling treatments for cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy to prevent hair loss during chemotherapy treatments. This bill will help so many cancer patients and is truly the right thing to do.

RI should be a leader in this type of treatment. West Virginia became the 3rd state in the nation to enact a law to support patient care costs in order to improve access to FDA-cleared, hair preservation treatment for cancer patients. I can't imagine how difficult it is for someone to go through this. Please pass this bill for Rhode Islanders!!

Thank you for your help,

Laura Bard