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Citizens for a Safe and Healthy Texas

Dear Texan,

ACT NOW, Oppose HB 1805 / SB 1747

Please CALL today
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TALKING POINTS
Please oppose HB 1805/ SB 1747 - THC is a dangerous drug.

Marijuana is not the solution for PTSD - Evidence shows that t does not treat PTSD in the long-term and may worsen symptoms.

Texas should NOT be circumventing the FDA approval process and allowing such a dangerous drug to be used as medicine. The FDA only recommends 20 mg (10mg twice a day) of THC use daily using an approved product called Marinol. This THC-based drug has many hazards and warnings. For example, it can cause harmful psychiatric and cognitive effects and should not be used by patients with a history of psychiatric problems.

30% of cannabis users are developing cannabis use disorder (addiction to THC).

[The National Institute of Health states young men with cannabis use disorder have an increased risk of developing schizophrenia. The study authors estimated that as many as 30% of cases of schizophrenia in men aged 21-30 might be prevented by avoiding cannabis use.](#)

Thank you,

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