From: ETF Secure Email System [mailto:noreply@etfmailer.state.wi.us] Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2017 7:47 AM To: ETF SMB Member Call Center <ETFSMBMemberCallCenter@etf.wi.gov> Subject: General Question

The following feedback was submitted to ETF on 02/02/2017 at 07:47:09 AM CST



Message: I am saddened and sickened by the recent decision to exclude gender reassignment surgery and hormones for ETF system members. This politicized decision is not financially beneficial at all and will have a tremendously negative impact on the lives of a particularly marginalized and vulnerable group of Wisconsin residents. The costs of this change, which will almost certainly include medical emergencies and suicides from people who are going to have to face choices between getting recommended treatment and paying bills, will be very high.