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Below are bills related to housing that may be of interest to the behavioral health community:

Housing Bills:

[SB-488](#) AN ACT CONCERNING NONELDERLY RESIDENTS OF SENIOR HOUSING.

[SB-489](#) AN ACT LIMITING THE PERCENTAGE OF NONRETIRES IN SENIOR HOUSING.

[SB-490](#) AN ACT LIMITING THE PERCENTAGE OF NONRETIRES RESIDING IN SENIOR HOUSING.

[SB-520](#) AN ACT REQUIRING PUBLIC HEARINGS ON GROUP HOME APPLICATIONS.

[SB-686](#) AN ACT CONCERNING HOUSING ASSISTANCE.

[SB-786](#) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A WOMEN'S HALFWAY HOUSE IN NEW HAVEN.

[HB-5136](#) AN ACT PROTECTING RESIDENTS OF SOBER LIVING HOMES.

[HB-5744](#) AN ACT LIMITING THE DISTANCE BETWEEN CERTAIN GROUP HOMES AND HOMES WITH CHILDREN.

[HB-6132](#) AN ACT CONCERNING SOBER LIVING HOMES.

[HB-6790](#) AN ACT CONCERNING GENERATORS IN STATE-FUNDED GROUP HOMES.

You can find information on the bills above by clicking on the bill hyperlink provided or by visiting cga.ct.gov. Please feel free to contact me if you have questions about any of the information contained in the legislative updates. I can be reached at (860) 418-6839 or mary.mason@ct.gov. During session, you may want to try to reach me on my cell phone at (860) 985-2120, since I am often at the Capitol and away from my desk phone.