

# Montana State Legislature

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HB-520

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Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Rebecca Pettit

Name: Rebecca Pettit

Address: 133 Tahoe Dr. Missa, MT 59803

Comments: I support this and I hope it is passed. Many people will benefit from this.

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Susie Hamilton

Name: Susie Hamilton

Address: 701 S. Oak St. Townsend, MT 59644

Comments: Please help protect victims of serious crimes - seeking medical attention with out fear!  
Help stop the violence.

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Heather K. Hintze

Name: HEATHER HINTZE

Address: 112 B PANTHER HALL MISSOULA, MT

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Cody William Krashe

Name: Cody William Krashe

Address: 315 North Patten St Apt #304 Missoula, MT 59802

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes

Signature: *Samir Mail*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: Please help young people stay safe - no matter the situation. To say that citing a person, under the influence after being victimized, is good or acceptable is hateful. Put yourself in their shoes. No one should have to pay a minor crime when they could ~~prevent the crime~~. Stop crimes.  
Thank you

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: *Ingrid Rasmussen*

Name: Ingrid Rasmussen

Address: 501 Jesse Hall Missoula MT

Comments: This will help minors stay safe - being able to seek help should not be a law for young people, regardless of situation.

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Ashley Murray

Name: Ashley Murray

Address: 334 Roosevelt Apt 5 Missoula MT 59801

Comments: I work at a rape crisis/domestic violence prevention center on campus at the University of Montana and many of our clients have spoken about their reluctance to report being assaulted because they didn't want to get an MIP I think it is important to let them feel able to report being assaulted. This bill is important

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,  
I support House Bill 520, Exemption from Minor in Possession when reporting or receiving medical attention for Offenses Against the Person Crimes.

Signature: Mariya Goltes

Name: MARIYA GOLTES

Address: 354 BURLEWTON MISSOULA MT 59801

Comments: If something as offensive and terrible as rape happens to someone, the last thing they should have to worry about is the consequences they will face because they are a minor. I volunteer for the student assault resource center on campus at the UofM and feel strongly that it is very wrong when a woman has the courage to report and is punished for doing so.