

to. But it would never pass the muster of the public community's scrutiny and, secondly, the state level scrutiny. So that might be a better example. And, no, I do not anticipate the building of a school-based clinic out of this kind of activity. At this very...and, Senator Landis, you know and I know that any organization, including Planned Parenthood, even with my amendment, have the right to come in and apply for a grant. Whether or not it would be approved, I don't know. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The Chair is pleased to note that Senator Frank Korshoj would like to recognize our doctor of the day, Ronald P. Morris of Tekamah who is serving as doctor of the day on behalf of the Nebraska Academy of Family Physicians. Please welcome Dr. Ron Morris. Dr. Morris. Thank you. We are pleased to have you with us. Also, a very quick announcement, for those of you who are wondering, we will work through the noonhour today. We will work through the lunch hour and into the afternoon. The Chair recognizes Senator Scofield, followed by Senators Peterson, Smith, Nelson, Dierks, Elmer, Bernard-Stevens, Ashford, Abboud. Senator Scofield.

SENATOR SCOFIELD: Mr. President and members, I appreciate Senator Landis trying to resolve a dilemma here on the floor but I'm not sure that he has done so. I have not spoken with him about this language. But just quickly glancing at this language that he is proposing, and maybe I should ask Senator Landis. Senator Landis, on your language here where you talk about "or referral service costs", isn't it possible, as I read that, that, for instance, that that could relate to referral services having absolutely nothing to do with abortion or contraception counseling, that, for instance, if a...let's say a community like Beatrice who has done a good job with pulling family services under one roof and you come in and you're an unemployed parent with a kid that's in need of medical care and you need food and housing and so on, as I read this, the way you have drafted this, unless we insert something that says, "or related referral service costs", it seems to me that a service provider might not be able to do any referrals at all. Am I missing something here?

SENATOR LANDIS: No. I was trying to parallel the language we already have. The use of the referral is in...is not to be a disjunctive but a conjunctive with abortion and contraceptive counseling, meaning abortion and contraceptive counseling or