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Hello Members of the of La crosse WI City Council,

I support a ban on conversion therapy where LGBTQ youth and young adults are safeguarded from attempets to erase their identity, force heteronormative conformity, and abuse. I believe that all students, clients, patients, residents, and persons have a right to be free from abuse in regard to ther sexual orgentation and gender identity.

Supporting LGBQ youth reduces their risk of self harm, high risk behaviours, depression and illness. I urge the council to pass an ordinance to protect LGBTQ persons from abuse and mental distress.

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