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A Resolution
To urge and request the LSU Student Health Center (SHC) to offer the documentation of physical triggers on the SHC patient portal.

PARAGRAPH 1: Whereas, the SHC do not currently document special needs and personal preferences for patients on the patient portal; and

PARAGRAPH 2: Whereas, victims of abuse or persons with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder should not have to repeatedly talk about their traumatic experiences even with medical professionals; and

PARAGRAPH 3: Whereas, some people have personal preferences for physical touch; and

PARAGRAPH 4: Whereas, medical professionals are not always aware of all potential physical triggers; and

PARAGRAPH 5: Whereas, no one should feel they can’t seek out medical treatment because they are unable to verbally express their needs; and

PARAGRAPH 6: Whereas, everyone deserves to receive safe and effective medical treatment; and

PARAGRAPH 7: Therefore, be it enacted by the Louisiana State University Student Senate urges and requests that the LSU Student Health Center offers to document physical triggers on the SHC patient portal, and

PARAGRAPH 8: Therefore, be it resolved that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to D’Ann Morris, Student Health Center Executive Director, and

PARAGRAPH 9: This resolution shall take effect upon passage by a simple majority (1/2) vote of the LSU Student Senate and signature by the President, upon lapse of time for presidential action, or if vetoed by the President and subsequently approved by the Senate, on the date of such approval.

Approved:

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JAMES J. MICKLER          JASON J. BADEAUX
Speaker of the Senate      Student Body President

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