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How the Mental Health Industry Fails the Mentally Ill

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AMONG DJ’S SOLUTIONS:

• Treat people with the most serious mental illness first
• Free parents and caregivers from HIPAA “handcuffs”
• Fully adopt Assisted Outpatient Treatment to provide treatment before tragedy
• Change the law to more adequately fund hospitalization
• Fund evidence-based treatment programs

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