



# The Senate of The State of Texas

## Senator José Menéndez

District 26

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### *Statement by Senator Menéndez on Planned Parenthood Shootings*

San Antonio, Texas - State Senator José Menéndez issued the following statement in the wake of the tragic shootings at a Planned Parenthood clinic in Colorado Springs, Colorado:

“The tragic reality is that mass shootings have become commonplace and law enforcement lacks the proper tools to keep guns out of the hands of dangerous or unstable people. It is imperative that lawmakers at the federal and state levels pass thoughtful, commonsense laws to try and end mass shootings. This should not be treated as a political football, but as an urgent public safety issue that threatens every American family.”

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