

I urge you to support SB 875. My son suffers from Adrenal Insufficiency due to a rare medical condition called Hypopituitarism. He is just starting preschool in the fall. The teachers and administrators at private school are willing to give him an emergency injection called Solu-Cortef that will save his life in the event of an emergency such as major illness, or if he falls and breaks a bone on the playground. I fear for when he starts public school, because in Oregon there are no protocols in place for children like him. I urge you to take a stand and include all children in public school, make a way for them to get the education they need in a safe school. He is a seemingly "normal" little boy that is happy and ready to learn. An injection into his thigh similar to an epi pen could literally mean life or death for him. Why wouldn't our schools and you choose life by allowing school staff to be trained to give him that shot? Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

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