

Mr. Matt Doumit and members of the Senate Committee on Human Services,

I am writing you to ask for support on SB 687, with adding a few words to clarify that the definition of “abuse” which would not include delaying vaccines, refusal to vaccinate and having rights to exemptions. I am kindly asking the committee to preserve and protect this right. I am not currently an Oregon resident, but have worked in Oregon for 17 years and am also an Oregon State Notary. I am also a mother of 3 children, one of which attended a therapeutic school in Oregon for 3 years. I am concerned with trend of medical reporting and DHS staff on over stepping their boundaries. Adding clarification would eliminate any confusion, save time and money, along with preventing any unnecessary investigations being opened due to vaccine freedoms. State services could then focus their time and energy, along with being better directed on cases that truly need addressed. I am asking kindly for your support on SB 687.

Thank you,

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