

Dear Representatives,

I am contacting you to express my concerns regarding the HB 3063 that aims to remove a parent's right to informed consent. I believe the choice of if, when and how a child is to be vaccinated needs to remain between a family and their doctor. Where there is a risk of injury or death, no matter how small the perceived risk may be, there must be a choice. To mandate a medical procedure with known risks is medically unethical. I urge you to consider these critical reasons to not go forward with HB 3063 and protect our right as parents to make informed medical decisions for our children as well as allow them the right to the public education they are entitled to.

We we're living in California when they passed SB 277 removing all non-medical exemptions and it was one of the reasons we left California to eventually move to Oregon. Now our parental rights once again are being taken away. If this bills passes I will be forced to homeschool our two girls because I will not be forced into a medical procedure that comes with great risk and has not gone through the scientific gold standard, double-blind, placebo-controlled study, most medicines go through to be considered safe and effective. It is almost impossible to get a medical exemption in our state regardless if your child has been vaccine injured or not. So I will be forced to take my children out of Hillsboro Public School system and homeschool or leave Oregon.

For these reasons and many more, I urge you to view this bill as inhumane and medically unethical.

I OPPOSE HB 3063

Sincerely,

Blair SantaMaria
Hillsboro, Oregon resident