

I am taking time out of my day to tell you to OPPOSE HB 3063, the bill to end all non-medical vaccine exemptions for school age children. I believe parents have a right to refuse vaccinations without being coerced. I whole heartedly believe MY BODY, MY CHOICE. No government agency has a right to dictate or mandate what goes into another humans body in pursuit of its own agenda. When there is RISK, there MUST BE A CHOICE. I strongly feel that it should be a parents right to choose vaccinations for their families but also be able to decline them when they see fit. Vaccines are not a "one size fits all". There are KNOWN risks, and again if there is RISK, there must be a CHOICE. Not to mention, the state is pushing mandatory vaccinations on a LIABILITY FREE product that has NEVER gone through the gold standard of scientific testing, which is a double blind placebo study. (refer to the Nuremberg Code.) How can you say they are 'safe and effective' when the science is altered and data is changed?

Lets look at Oregon's unvaccinated population? 2.6 % are unvaccinated. So for less than 3% you want to strip us of our rights and force a medical procedure? "Scientifically" we already have high community immunity to disease with no health threats outside of the normal range in the US. Therefore, there is no reason to take parental rights away from those using non-medical exemptions. Taking away religious and philosophical exemptions will not show an increase in child vaccine rates, as those of us who stand against vaccinating have a VERY strong opinion on the matter and we would gladly homeschool our kids before we ever allow them to be vaccinated. The general public will still have just as much social interaction with our homeschooled, non-vaccinated kids as we will continue to bring them to public parks, libraries, retail stores, restaurants, sports gatherings, you name it! Aside from the safety issue with vaccines, I have very strong religious objections to the use of aborted fetal cells that are used in vaccines not to mention the high level of aluminum and other neurotoxic ingredients, that again have not been studied for affects on our children.

Thank you for taking time out of your day to read my concerns. We all want what's best for our kids. I hope you oppose and not support this bill and leave medical decisions up to the parents and the people.

Concerned mom of Hubbard, OR --