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Hello,

My name is Paige MacIsaac, I am a Registered Nurse at Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston, Oregon. I strongly support HB3063. I urge you to support this bill as well. Many children are at risk for deadly diseases due to their parents decision not to vaccinate. AS a parent i see many unaccredited online blogs and organizations against vaccines representing false statements and claims convincing Unfortunately our society easily is persuaded by social media groups, blogs, and biased organizations. They are being fed lies. These lies include " vaccines cause autism" There is not medical evidence of a link between autism and vaccination. This belief came from a scientist that falsified his study on the positive link between autism and vaccine. He was later stripped of his medical license. The other worry is " vaccines have mercury in them" This is true there are trace amounts of mercury in them however there is more in a can of tuna fish . The mercury in vaccines is not harmful to the patient. Not only are these parents putting their own children at risk they are putting immune compromised populations at risk of DEATH such as infants and the elderly. The diseases vaccines protect against are deadly. IF a child survives they can be left deaf, paralyzed, or on a ventilator. These diseases are devastating. I believe in requiring these vaccines to protect our children. Vaccines save lives. However vaccines do not work unless the entire community participates. As we have recently seen in the news we now have a measles outbreak in Washington and Oregon. A disease that was once eradicated from the US. The majority of the cases of measles were in unvaccinated children. We need to mandate vaccines in order to attend public schools in Oregon. Please stand with HB3063 . Thank you for your time.

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