Dean Legislators,

As the Public Health Nurse for Harney County, I am writing in support of HB 3063 to eliminate the nonmedical vaccine exemption for children. I have been a registered nurse for 26 years and have seen firsthand the importance of timely vaccinations for children. Keeping our communities safe and healthy is the purpose of Public Health. There is no reason to see children and adults suffering (and sometimes dying) from <u>PREVENTABLE</u> diseases in this day and age.

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