

I submit testimony in opposition to HB 2591. What will happen when shots are accidentally/ intentionally administered against parental wishes? What will happen when a student receives shots they don't want? Medical procedures should stay at the doctors office. A friend/young girl was injured by a shot that her mother didn't want her to get. It was done while her mother was out of the room. This girl asked me if it's safe to go back to school for this reason? She is asking if she is going to be safe from shots at school because her health is already damaged and she is scared if they are going to give her more at school? Shots should stay between a Doctor and their patients in Doctors offices not at school. Please vote NO on HB 2591.

Injecting a needle, like many things is an art that takes knowledge and practice. I have had so many bad experiences personally getting injections in the U.S. Navy. People can loose the use of their arms if a nerve or bone is touched by a needle. This is also talking about letting students work on children the largest part of the population that can not speak up for themselves become guinea pigs. Not to mention getting proper informed consent from parents, which there doesn't seem to be any concern for at all in ANY of Oregon's proposed medical bills. Parents need to have control over what happens medically to their children, so there is continuity of care. A child could be on a medication that the " school medical center "doesn't know about and if a child gets a preventative medical procedure that a parent doesn't know about and later suffers complications, injury or even death, how will a parent know how quickly they need to seek emergency help after an adverse event that they do not even know about? Medications often have interactions with things as simple as food, however especially with other medications/ medical procedures. This bill could do more harm than good, please consider the unintended consequences. The road to Hell is filled with good intentions. This bill looks like the road to Hell in my opinion. Please vote no on HB 2591.

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