

February 11, 2020

Re: HB 2601

Dear Education Committee Members,

I am a native Kansan. I have lived here my entire life and am raising my family here. I wholly support complete medical freedom and vaccine exemptions. This is a personal decision for every family that is determined by the parent or guardian. This is not something the government should have any say over. Absolutely no medical decision or procedure should be mandatory. What works for one person will not necessarily work for the next. Our bodies are all different and are affected in multiple ways.

I firmly believe that taking away any health freedom and right to choose is a violation of our human, civil, and religious rights. It does not matter what side of the aisle you sit on. Whether you are a Republican or a Democrat, whether you are for vaccines or against them, freedom needs to exist. Making anything mandatory or shutting someone out of school for not vaccinating is inexcusable, especially considering we all pay taxes and contribute to those state-funded schools.

Please do the right thing. Remember that many who are against vaccines did not used to be. There are so many people whose lives have been adversely affected by vaccines. It is not a one size fits all kind of thing. Do not make these people feel less than human because they decided to take a stand after seeing horrific things happen to those they love after a vaccination. I know several individuals who do vaccinate that do not care if someone else does not. It's all about medical freedom. Do not be a villain to the American people. Do not take anyone's rights away.

Thank you,

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