

My name is Victoria Moore and I am a stay at home mom and I recently received an email from my husband's work health initiative through Franklin County called Thrive On that I found disturbing and offensive. Here is a direct quote from the email I got: "Getting a vaccine is a personal choice and the Franklin County Cooperative is working to break down as many barriers as possible for our employees and families to get vaccinated." This email also included a survey for the vaccine hesitant to fill out regarding why they are choosing not to take the COVID19 vaccine. At first glance it appears Thrive On recognizes the vaccine as a personal choice, but if

that were truly the case than why do they feel the need to "break down barriers" in order for people to choose to get inoculated? It stands to reason then that Thrive On does not respect the personal choice to not get an experimental vaccine. This is exactly the reason Ohio needs HB 248. Many people I know have receiving emails like this from their employers or insurance programs and they are all posturing to mandate the vaccine. The right to make choices directly effecting One's body is one of the most basic human rights granted to us from our Creator. No business, government, insurance, or hospital should have the ability to violate that God given right. I do not consent to be governed by

those who seek to dictate what I put in my body. HB 248 is vital in protecting the sanctity of human life for the people of Ohio. I urge the legislators to act swiftly in passing this essential act into law.

Sincerely,
Victoria Moore