

Chairman Huffman, Vice Chair Johnson, and Members of the Senate Health Committee, thank you for hearing my support testimony for HB 73, The Dave & Angie Patient and Health Provider Protection Act” I was unable to get Hydroxychloroquine and Ivermectin from my primary provider when I had COVID19. I had to use a “tela-doc.” By the time I found a new PCP to prescribe the two medications listed above, I had a viral pneumonia. I was an RN for years and exposed to multiple respiratory illness and never had one. My delayed treatment lead to the pneumonia because the first PCP was told not to prescribe it by the state medical board and feared to lose her license. The WHO has no jurisdiction in OH, so I urge you to protect Ohio and vote YES on HB 73.