

Chairman Lipps, Vice Chair Holmes, Ranking Member Russo, and Members of the House Health Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 248.

My name is Chelsea Travis and I am a stay at home mom & business owner. There are many reasons I support House Bill 248.

I fear that our state will experience medical segregation & bullying if it is not passed. This would be incredibly harmful to this state and country. We have the right to govern our bodies as we see necessary.

Citizens have different religious, philosophical and spiritual beliefs. I feel that each of us has a right to make our own medical decisions and to be in control of what happens to our own bodies. We, of course, should never be discriminated against due to these beliefs.

As an educated citizen, I refuse to cross the moral line of telling any other human to take a medical procedure just because some people think it will lesson certain symptoms of a virus. Plus, natural immunity is the BEST immunity.

People who have experienced Covid-19 have natural immunity- this should be respected and it is not right to require ANYONR to get vaccinated with a vaccine that is not even approved by the FDA.

It is against the law to even ask someone their race, religion, if they have a medical issue, etc. That would of course be discrimination because it could potentially effect the job opportunity. So how could it be legal to require vaccine passports?

My son will grow to be a contributor to our state and country. I refuse to let his privacy and medical information be shared with anyone outside of our family unless he chooses to do so as an adult. His medical freedom is as important as his freedom to believe in God.

I thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
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