

Witness Proponent Testimony of Jeanna Knisel for HB248

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 Jeanna Knisel and I am a Sales Clerk. The reason I support House Bill 248 is because all Americans and Ohioans, more specifically, deserve the right to choose obtaining medical treatment administered to themselves, such as vaccination, or not. Not only is it our right to choose of utmost importance, it is of complete importance and urgency that we are able to make these choices and not be discriminated for doing so. Every single Ohioian and American deserves the right to not be discriminated against in any place of business, workplace or establishments, simply because they exercised their right to choose for themselves.

Our country, my lifelong home, is heading into some unnecessary control patterns. Mandating medical treatments and practices and inviting discrimination as common day activity on those that have decided against medical treatments and practices. No one should be manipulated, forced, feared into and deprived as a human for making their decisions as they see fit for their body.

I do not want mask mandates or proof of receiving the Covid-19 vaccinations as the American Way. I do not want life to be controlled or limited in my day to day comings and goings because of these restrictions and then discriminated for living by my decisions for my own body.

I deserve to continue to live my life with my God given rights. Americans should still be living in the land of the free.

I appreciate the time you have allotted me to express my mind and what I believe. Thank you for receiving my testimony on the need for House Bill 248.

Sincerely,

Jeanna Knisel