Dear Chairman Lipps, Vice Chairman Holmes, Ranking Member Russo, and members of the House Health Committee,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony on HB248! My name is Christine Gingerich, and I am an Art and Music Teacher at St. Barbara Catholic School in Massillon, OH. The reason I support HB248 is because I have seen and read about the devastating effects of the Covid shot many people have taken...there have been adverse effects and death, and I know many have been pressured into taking it. Most of the teachers at my school have taken the shot, and I was one of the few who did not...I was very grateful that I was not required to have it in order to teach. I believe everyone should have the right to make the medical decisions that is best for them and their families, without having medical devices and practices forced upon them. This is what America is all about...freedom, including medical freedom!

Thank you once again for this opportunity to provide testimony on the need for and urgency of HB248!

Sincerely, Christine Gingerich