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Karen Molchanow
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Greetings,

It has come to my attention the possible changes to school enrollment and the vaccination schedule. (IRRC #3146 & 3147)

As a resident raised in this Commonwealth, I am greatly concerned. I do not understand how the DOE and DOH have overlapping duties and roles.

The Department of Education is to Educate. (Period)

The Department of Health is to keep us safe. Only when a wild virus might happen should the DOH be involved with our local schools.

I am VERY CONCERNED with the possible Decreased provisional period for student enrollment from 240 days to 5 days. I personally oppose this change.

While I might support shortening the provisional period in an effort to correct reporting failures and ascertain accurate data, I find this change to be very extreme. NOT ONE nearby state has such a short provisional period! On average it is a 58 day period. Five days is not enough time to schedule appointments for students who may be sick, nor to fully recover, before getting vaccinated! The CHOICE is to be between the PARENT and the MEDICAL CARE PROVIDER. Medical needs vary from student to student.

Many Parents will face stress and unnecessary expense as they make appointments and submit paperwork. A 60 day provisional period will give parents and sick children time to meet the requirements without undue stress. Given the later reporting date, a 60 day provisional period would not interfere with school data collection and analysis. If you have ever been ill yourself you know as a fact it usually takes WEEKS of LONGER to get a WELL DR VISIT to be vaccinated.

I am VERY concerned with the inclusion of Pertussis vaccine for kindergarten admission. I oppose this change.

I have a personal friend whose son received this vaccine to only be infected with the Whooping Cough. 40 years ago, a child was asked to stay home for FIVE DAYS of school. When was the last time there was a Whooping Cough outbreak among the non vaccinated? There has not been one in our state as far as I know.

Also VERY concerning, the Meningitis and Tdap vaccines are pharmaceutical products that carry a risk of injury or death, a fact that was acknowledged by the U.S. Congress in 1986 when it passed the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act. Since 1988, the federal vaccine injury compensation program created under that law has awarded more than \$3.2 billion to children and adults injured by vaccines or to families whose loved ones died from vaccine reactions, although two out of three who apply are denied compensation. The Institute of Medicine in a series of reports on vaccine safety spanning 25 years has acknowledged there is individual susceptibility to vaccine reactions for genetic, biological and environmental reasons that have not been fully defined by science, and doctors often cannot predict ahead of time who will be harmed. Long standing gaps in vaccine safety research and emerging evidence that certain vaccines do not prevent infection or transmission of disease, urgently require legal protection of physician's rights and parental rights regarding medical and religious exemptions to vaccination for all minor children.

My children are MINE to raise. They are not the property of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In 1960's students received around 8 vaccines. In 1980's students received around 11 vaccines. You are asking parents to allow their children to have 70 plus vaccines. Why? Where is the ONE safety study showing that all these vaccines are safe for ALL children? We do not ask students with peanut allergies to eat peanuts for school lunches. We know that many people react differently to Penicillin. We should not expect us all to be served by ONE route of 'prevention'.

It is really weird when the State Department of Health and State Department of Education have joined the CDC as the experts, in the jurisdiction of medicine, dictating to our children, families and health practitioners: what to ingest and inject, and when to do so.

I ask you to read this article. Researchers: Medical errors now third leading cause of death in United States. It was published May 3rd, 2016 by the Wall Street Journal. Please look at the top TEN causes of Death... Only One cause, THE FLU, can be possibly prevented by vaccination. Those deaths usually occur in the ELDERLY and not in school aged children.

Thank You for your time and Please I ask you to not support this in anyway.

Sincerely,

Nathan Boggs

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A new analysis shows that more than 250,000 deaths each year are due to these mistakes.

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