

SB2393

Measure Title:	RELATING TO IMMUNIZATION PRACTICES.
Report Title:	Department of Health; Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices; Recommendations; Rulemaking
Description:	Exempts the department of health from the rulemaking process pursuant to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, when adopting recommendations from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices. Requires the department to adopt rules within 90 days.
Companion:	HB1946
Package:	None
Current Referral:	CPH, JDL
Introducer(s):	BAKER, CHUN OAKLAND, DELA CRUZ, KIDANI, NISHIHARA, SHIMABUKURO, TOKUDA, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Kim

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February 3, 2016

Dear Senators Baker, Kidani, Espero, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, and Sloam,

On behalf of over 4,000 Registered Nurses and healthcare workers represented by the Hawai'i Nurses' Association/ OPEIU Local 50, I am writing to URGE you to OPPOSE the following bills that infringe upon Healthcare Workers' rights: SB 2393, & SB 2394. It is the Union's position that we support legislation which requires employers to educate their healthcare workers regarding the benefits and limitations of flu vaccination and for healthcare employers to implement effective infection control to prevent the spread of flu without mandatory flu vaccination for employees.

REQUIRED VACCINATION FOR ALL

I urge you to OPPOSE [SB 2393](#) which, by replacing the word “may” with “shall”, would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on

Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children.

FLU SHOT MANDATES FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS

I urge you to also OPPOSE [SB 2394](#) which would mandate Hawai'i healthcare workers receive a yearly flu vaccine. "Health care worker" means all persons, whether paid or unpaid, working or delivering services in a health care facility, including contractors and their employees whose occupational activities involve direct or indirect contact with patients or contaminated material in a health care, hospital, or clinical laboratory setting.

The following is our OPEIU Nurse Council's position statement regarding the Mandatory Influenza Immunization Initiative:

FLU VACCINES FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS

WHEREAS, OPEIU Nurse Council supports flu prevention for patients and the general public; and

WHEREAS, nurses and other healthcare workers have a duty and a right to protect patients. Recent evidence shows mandatory flu vaccinations and masking policies fail these tests; and

WHEREAS, flu vaccination policies requiring healthcare workers to be vaccinated have proliferated since the Virginia Mason case in 2004; and

WHEREAS, such policies vary greatly from locale to locale; and

WHEREAS, mandatory flu vaccinations as a condition of employment is unfair to healthcare workers; and

WHEREAS, many employers have implemented religious exemptions to mandatory flu vaccination for their healthcare workers; and

WHEREAS, many of those religious exemptions are vague and inconsistent with federal discrimination laws; and

WHEREAS, the billion dollar pharmaceutical companies who provide flu vaccinations are lobbying Congress for a national policy requiring flu vaccination for healthcare workers; and

WHEREAS, Medicare reimbursement rates may be effected by the number of healthcare workers who are vaccinated at that healthcare facility; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the OPEIU 26th Convention commit itself to lobby for legislation requiring employers to educate their healthcare workers as to the benefits

and limitations of flu vaccination and for healthcare employers to implement effective infection control to prevent the spread of flu without mandatory flu vaccination for employees.

Sincerely,

Maureen Meehan-Golonka, RN

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Laurie Field	Planned Parenthood Votes Northwest and Hawaii	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Mark Sheehan	SAFE, Sustainable Action Fund	Oppose	No

Comments: Please kill this bill. There are far too many complications from widespread use of vaccines. Mandatory vaccinations can be very harmful to people with allergies. People have a right to make health decisions without having vaccines forced on them.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Teresa L. Nakama	BIFA	Oppose	No

Comments: I Teresa L. Nakama, President of BIFA hereby submit our opposition against SB2393, we adamantly oppose this bill. The Health Department should never be exempt from rule making process, especially when it violates our human rights to due process of our laws that will dictate our health.

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2/3/2016

Dear Honorable Members of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health,

I urge you to OPPOSE [SB 2393](#) which, by replacing the word “may” with “shall”, would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children. **[SB 2393 is scheduled for a hearing Feb. 4, 2016 at 9:00 AM in the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.](#)**

This bill is even more troubling considering the legislature is considering another bill, HB 1722, that would remove the religious exemption for school children. The passage of either of these bills would be a terrible setback to medical freedom, parental rights, and religious freedom, but the effects combined could be devastating to families who delay or decline one or more vaccines.

There is No Compelling State Interest. There is no public health emergency or compelling state interest that justifies forcing vaccination by violating the right to freedom of conscience and personally held sincere religious beliefs.

- **High Vaccination Rates, Low Vaccine Exemption Rates.** In the 2013-2014 school year, the [CDC reported](#) that an estimated 99% of kindergarten children in Hawaii had received five DTaP shots; 98.7% had received two MMR shots and 99.2% had received two varicella zoster shots, (The [CDC excluded Hawaii's rates in the 2014-2015 report](#)) The [CDC also reported](#) only 754 students had religious vaccine exemptions in the whole state, giving Hawaii the distinction of having one of the highest vaccination rates in the country along with low vaccine exemption rates.
- **Low Infectious Disease Rates.** According to the CDC, in 2014 Hawaii had a pertussis incidence rate of [2.7 per 100,000 persons \(38 pertussis cases\)](#), one of the lowest in the nation. Also according to the CDC, during the past year, Hawaii has had [zero cases of measles](#) reported.
- **No Other State Requires Everyone to Be Vaccinated.**
- **Exemptions Should be Expanded, not Restricted.**
- **Vaccines Carry a Risk of Harm.** 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 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 minor children.

- **Vaccine Manufacturers Have No Civil Liability.** The 1986 law partially shielded drug companies selling vaccines in the U.S. from civil liability and, in 2011, the [US Supreme Court completely shielded vaccine manufacturers from liability](#) for FDA licensed and CDC recommended vaccines. There is no product liability or accountability for pharmaceutical companies marketing federally recommended and state mandated vaccines that injure Americans or cause their death, which makes [flexible medical and non-medical vaccine exemptions in vaccine policies and laws](#) the only way Americans can protect themselves and their children from vaccine risks and failures.
- **Many New Vaccines are Coming.** The CDC's [childhood vaccine schedule in 1983](#) was 23 doses of seven vaccines (DPT, MMR, polio) given before age six, and the cost of vaccinating a child with all federally recommended vaccines was \$80 per child in a pediatric private practice. That cost has increased to about [\\$2800 per child in 2015](#) because the numbers of federally recommended vaccines for children has increased to [69 doses of 16 vaccines between day of birth and age 18](#). There are [several thousand vaccine clinical trials](#) being conducted, including for infectious and non-infectious diseases such as gonorrhea, syphilis, chlamydia, HIV/AIDS, genital herpes, RSV, strep B, cytomegalovirus, hepatitis C, tuberculosis, e-coli, salmonella, asthma, diabetes, obesity, anti-cocaine and heroin use. Many of these [new vaccines in development](#) will be federally recommended for children.
- **Hawaii's Medical Exemptions are Too Strict to Use.** The [CDC Reports](#) that 0 kindergarten students in Hawaii used a medical exemption in the 2014-2015 school year. Current law [§325-34](#) only allows medical exemptions for 3 months after a duly licensed physician, physician assistant, or an authorized representative of the department of health has signed two copies of a certificate stating the name and address of the person and that because of a stated cause the health of the person would be endangered by the vaccination or immunization. This is too short a

period of time for the medical exemption to apply for children with long term health problems or with a history of vaccine reactions. If the religious exemption is removed, this medical exemption is the only exemption that is available for school children. Physicians should not be time restricted by the legislature in exercising their professional judgement about medical exemptions for vaccination.

When there is risk of harm from a pharmaceutical product, especially a product that is marketed by companies completely shielded from civil liability, the parent's or individual's right to exercise conscience, religious belief and informed consent on behalf of a minor child or themselves must be legally protected. In light of the fact that vaccine risks are not borne equally by all due to known and unknown individual genetic and other biological or environmental susceptibilities, parental rights, individual informed consent rights, as well as those of a state licensed physician or designated vaccine provider to exercise professional judgment in protecting a child from vaccine injury and death, must be preserved in health policies and laws.

The least restrictive means for ensuring the public health and safety should be employed by the legislature to protect public trust in the wisdom and fairness of government policy and law. There is no public health emergency in Hawaii or compelling state interest that justifies the passage of these bills which would violate human, civil and parental rights.

Please OPPOSE SB 2393.

Sincerely,

**Dawn Richardson
Director of Advocacy
National Vaccine Information Center**

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Albert Sikirdji	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha Senators and Representatives, We see that there are two complimentary bills plus one on HPV even for boys that could easily lead to forced, and mandatory vaccination for Hawaii as has currently become the law in California. They basically cause Hawaii to follow what is suggested by the Center For Disease Control. Please OPPOSE THESE BILLS and not place them on the agenda for deliberation for this legislative season. Making anything mandatory is a loss of civil rights and a step in the wrong direction. We do not currently have a health problem while vaccinations are optional. Most people choose to vaccinate. Not every child (or adult) should be vaccinated. Just as there are problems with prescription drugs (being in the top ten leading causes of death), some people are vulnerable to adverse reaction to vaccines. This leaves too much power to the federal government. Health challenges could be happening in a very different part of the country that then shifts the vaccination risk to Hawaii. Vaccination is a business. No one should be forced to vaccinate. IF you do the research Many people get sick from vaccinations due to all the weird chemicals they use PLEASE do not pass this MAHALO for doing REAL due deligence Aloha Albert J Sikirdji 37 yr resident of HAWAII

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Amara Karuna	Laakea community LLC	Oppose	No

Comments: I will never support mandatory vaccines in any form for any ages. It is an invasion of privacy and civil rights. This will be fought fiercely. The vaccines are poorly made, unregulated, and ineffective. thank you, Amara Karuna

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Amelia Ensign	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Anne-Marie Forsythe	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly oppose taking my rights away to choose what to vacinate myself or my children against. Currently we are all up to date on our vacines, this has been my choice. I do not agress with it being taken away from me.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Ariel Green	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Thank you for your time.

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Aubrey Aea	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Barbara Barry	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly oppose mandated immunizations for our children, especially the HPV vaccine. I would never allow my child to have this terrible immunization. HPV is preventable. Don't be fooled by the Pharmaceutical Companies. This is a big money maker for them and very expensive. If anyone voting on this bill own any stock in the Drug Companies that produce the vaccines or have taken any political contributions from the Drug Companies, they should recuse themselves from voting on the measures. Conflict of Interest! NO to forced Immunizations!

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Barbara Moore	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I am a health practitioner and will not allow someone to inject my body with something that may do harm to me. A percentage of people die from injections that are intended to do good. People who WANT the flu shot or whatever have a right to get it. No one should be forced to do what they do not believe in or want.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Brian Lehmann	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Do I understand correctly that a state (HI) would be unable to reach a conclusion different from that of the CDC, and that any such CDC recommendation would then be given force of law within said state ? If so, OBJECTION!!! An individual has at least as much prerogative as the state to chart a course of prevention, assuming no single person desires to become ill. Nor do those with a healthy immune system require vaccination. And when a treatment may have been manufactured using genetic engineering, for example, an individual has the right to abstain if desired. Secondly, do I understand correctly that no alternative to injection would be prescribed by law, for any who might wish it ? Again, OBJECTION!!! I strongly oppose passage, yea even introduction, of this measure.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Brooke Decker	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: People need to have a choice. I am not okay with mandatory vaccines!
You will be taking away people's freedom.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Bryna Storch	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Not in one single generation in the history of mankind has it been appropriate or truly for the greater good for the government to control our bodies. Forced compliance is the foodstuffs of fascists and nazis, and the fuel of for-profit corporations. Moreover, these measures are clearly for the benefit of the for-profit, patented pharmaceutical industry. Imposing patented products on the public would create a government sponsored industry monopoly.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Carmen Golay	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I oppose this bill as our state department of health has made immunization policy decisions and no changes are needed. Adopting more and more federal regulations for what can be handled as in state policies erodes states rights and decision making powers. What is the purpose of state governments if we choose to hand over policy to the federal government? Our Hawaii citizenry has the opportunity to participate in state level decisions that will effect us. This is not so much the case for federal regulations, and when it comes to what is being injected into our bodies, it is crucial that citizens always have a say and a choice.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Chelsea Sky	Individual	Oppose	No

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February 2, 2016

To: Senator Roslyn Baker, Chair of Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection & Health,
Senator Michelle Kidani, Vice Chair of Commerce, Consumer Protection & Health,
Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of Judiciary and Labor Committee,
Senator Maile Shimabukuro, Vice Chair of Judiciary and Labor Committee
From: Cheryl Toyofuku
Re: Strong Opposition to SB2393 Relating to Immunization Practices
Hearing: Thursday, February 4, 2016 at 9:00 am, Hawaii State Capitol, Room 229

I strongly oppose SB 2393. This bill will require the Hawaii State Department of Health to adopt “rules” or “recommendations” from the U.S Department of Health and Human Services and the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices within 90 days. This rapid process appears to eliminate any public notice or our right to make any comments in proper public hearings regarding health laws that affect our families and state

There are valid reasons for the fact that public confidence in national and international vaccine policies is at an all time low. Here are some of the reasons:

- Despite the awareness of toxic ingredients in vaccines with numerous studies and testimonies revealing their lack of safety and efficacy, our government continues on the foolish path of ignoring scientific evidence at the expense of public health interest.
- The US vaccine recommendation process is hopelessly compromised by conflicts of interest with vaccine manufacturers, the American Academy of Pediatrics and the CDC.
- The US Vaccination Policy Flowchart shows how vaccine policies are made with questionable relationships between the vaccine industrial complex, FDA and the CDC’s Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice.
- Promoting mass vaccines is extremely profitable and big business. The vaccine schedule continues to multiply for American children, now up to 48 doses of 14 vaccines from birth to age six. In the meantime, global profits from the worldwide vaccine business climbed to billions of dollars.
- Pandemic scares or public health emergencies have become excuses to rush to market experimental drugs and vaccines that are not subject to product liability in the civil courts. The swine flu epidemic debacle of 1976 and the health alerts of the bird flu pandemic in 2009 are examples of how these scares sent stock prices soaring for anti-viral and flu vaccines. Now, there is a HPV “epidemic” that will justify promoting and mandating the HPV vaccine.
- Congressional records and transcripts indicate scientific and industry fraud including cover ups of data that clearly shows definitive links between vaccines and serious vaccine injuries. Yet, the US Congress passed a law in 1986 shielding vaccine makers and doctors from liability for vaccine injuries and death.

These are reasons why parents are choosing not to vaccinate their children due to distrust of health authorities and legislators that are violating their right to choose what is best for them.

Recommendations may be given from the WHO, CDC, DHHS, the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices and other federal health programs, but why is there a bill to REQUIRE Hawaii to adopt recommendations from these “experts” who appear to not have our best health interests.

There are rational perspectives and common sense advice for staying healthy in every season being offered by holistic health doctors and practitioners. As our lawmakers, you are encouraged to invest time, resources and energy in researching and promoting healthy lifestyles and health care, instead of adopting federal health policies that will probably mandate more toxic vaccinations.

Thank you for your consideration in this serious matter.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Christopher Schafer	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Understanding the need for radical measures to insure the health of the civilian population at large, need Not be limited to forcing allopathic / pharmaceutical remedies; vaccinations. The greater threat here is this proposed legislation is attempting to subvert or individual right to choose what we do with our life / body. I urge our representatives to OPPOSE this bill thus protect our rights as Americans. Please find an alternative method of protecting civilians from epidemics, etc. ps. No one is above the Law of the Land; constitution.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
clare loprinzi	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: We are educated...we have the ability to decide...we have the right to decide...we do not do things out of fear but out of reason...we study , we connect...we are connected...drop these bills, take care of your own ohana...leave us to the same kuleana...this is outrageous...it is our right not yours.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Damian McPherson	Individual	Oppose	Yes

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
daniel alber	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Exempting the Dept. of Health from this rule of law does not protect citizens, and serves to keep them ignorant of vital information. We should not be legislating medical decisions. Furthermore, the CDC has had questionable judgments and deceptive practices as it pertains to vaccinations. If we are to accept recommendations as commands, they need to come from a source which is wholly unbiased and concerned only with the health of citizens. They cannot be swayed by the money and power or the pharmaceutical industry. Laws cannot strip citizens of the right to determine ones own health choices, religious choices, or condition of the physical body. The intent of this bill may be good, but the outcome would not serve the greater public good.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
danielle madaus	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Individuals should make choices for their own health...no one else!!

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Dave Kisor	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Allowing industry, in this case pharmaceutical to either influence or write legislation that affects everybody in this manner is just plain wrong! Simply denying testimony is a great way to stir up a hornets nest. Not allowing us to testify is like a legislator pretending they are royalty and we are just peasants to be stepped on.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Dawn Middleton	Individual	Oppose	No

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dawn park	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Dawn Poiani	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: REQUIRED VACCINATION FOR ALL I urge you to OPPOSE HB 1946 and SB 2393 which, by replacing the word “may” with “shall”, would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children. SB 2393 is scheduled for a hearing Feb. 4, 2016 at 9:00 AM in the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health in conference room 229. - There is No Compelling State Interest. There is no public health emergency or compelling state interest that justifies forcing vaccination by violating the right to freedom of conscience and personally held sincere religious beliefs. Hawaii has a High Vaccination Rates with Low Vaccine Exemption Rates. In the 2013-2014 school year, the CDC reported that an estimated 99% of kindergarten children in Hawaii had received five DTaP shots; 98.7% had received two MMR shots and 99.2% had received two varicella zoster shots, (The CDC excluded Hawaii’s rates in the 2014-2015 report) The CDC also reported only 754 students had religious vaccine exemptions in the whole state, giving Hawaii the distinction of having one of the highest vaccination rates in the country along with low vaccine exemption rates. Vaccines Carry a Risk of Harm. 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 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 minor children. Vaccine Manufacturers Have No Civil Liability. The 1986 law partially shielded drug companies selling vaccines in the U.S. from civil liability and, in 2011, the US

Supreme Court completely shielded vaccine manufacturers from liability for FDA licensed and CDC recommended vaccines. There is no product liability or accountability for pharmaceutical companies marketing federally recommended and state mandated vaccines that injure Americans or cause their death, which makes flexible medical and non-medical vaccine exemptions in vaccine policies and laws the only way Americans can protect themselves and their children from vaccine risks and failures. Sincerely, Dawn Poiani

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
deb mader	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha, I strongly oppose SB2393. This bill is too vague, too general, and does a dis-service to the public by removing public testimony from vaccine rule making process. The public includes doctors, teachers, scientists, and parents, among others. It is an important tool in the democratic process and I'm appalled that Senator Baker wishes to REMOVE the voice of the public on rule changes. As this bill is written, it opens the door to forced, mandated vaccines for all. Any vaccine on the national recommendation ACIP list, like the yearly flu shot, would be fair game to mandate for every man, woman and child in Hawai'i. In order to sustain such an effort, pharmacists and other people would be administering the vaccines, weakening the doctor/patient relationship and making it difficult for record keeping for allergies, contra-indications, ect. This bill should not move forward. Please OPPOSE SB2393. Sincerely, Deborah Mader Kihei, HI

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Debbie Prouty	Individual	Oppose	No

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Deborah Davis	Individual	Oppose	No

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Demian McLean	Individual	Oppose	No

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Elise Travis	Individual	Oppose	No

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Eloise Engman	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Emily Ventura	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha, I am Emily Ventura and I am a Registered Nurse on Maui. I am opposed to this bill on the basis that it is much too broad and dismisses public opinion and patient requests. The Department of Health should focus more on educating the public rather than forcing their hand. Allowing the Department of Health to make rules without outside opinion, including that of other healthcare professionals, and without hearing and understanding the full weight and concerns of the community becomes dictatorship. This sort of decision making is acceptable in rare occurrences when there is a health crisis which requires action in a rapid manner. However, to apply it across the board is disrespectful to the desires of the community and the intelligent opinions that live there.

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Faith Chase	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Freddy Von Essen	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly oppose this. Please do not move forward as this does not represent me or my family's ideals, beliefs or best interests. Please do what is right for this community. Mahalo.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Gale Perez	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I do not support this Bill or anyone who takes away our freedom of choice. Or does not consider or ask what the people say or want before making these decisions.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Harley Nicholas Hill	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Oppose HB 1946, HB1910 & SB2393 Aloha Senators and Representatives, We see that there are two complimentary bills plus one on HPV even for boys that could easily lead to forced, and mandatory vaccination for Hawaii as has currently become the law in California. They basically cause Hawaii to follow what is suggested by the Center For Disease Control. Please **OPPOSE THESE BILLS** and not place them on the agenda for deliberation for this legislative season. Making anything mandatory is a loss of civil rights and a step in the wrong direction. We do not currently have a health problem while vaccinations are optional. Most people choose to vaccinate. Not every child (or adult) should be vaccinated. Just as there are problems with prescription drugs (being in the top ten leading causes of death), some people are vulnerable to adverse reaction to vaccines. This leaves too much power to the federal government. Health challenges could be happening in a very different part of the country that then shifts the vaccination risk to Hawaii. Vaccination is a business. No one should be forced to vaccinate.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Hillary Palmer	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: No, no,no on this bill. Health care decisions belong to the individual or in the case of a minor their parents or guardians. We don't need the government making our health care choices for us and I am disappointed in Ms.Baker for sponsoring such a draconian bill. Please do not pass this Bill because it is an infringement on our rights!

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Janell Tuttle	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jeanne Marie Long	Individual	Comments Only	No

Comments: This violates the civil rights of everyone mandated to take it as it takes away informed choice.

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I, Jennifer Bonifacio, OPPOSE SB2393.

First of all, why is the state ready to hand over state decision making to the feds? Are we that eager to give up our state rights? What then is the purpose of state governments if we choose to hand over policy to the federal government? Our Hawaii citizenry has the opportunity to participate in state level decisions that will affect us. This is not so much the case for federal regulations, and when it comes to what is being injected into our bodies, it is crucial that citizens always have a say and a choice.

This bill removes doctors, nurses and the individual from the decision-making process. It allows for pharmacists to vaccinate – pharmacists are not doctors and don't have all of your medical history in order to help you make the best decision for you or your children based on your medical history.□

Vaccines are not safe for everyone and at this point, because there is no long-term safety data, there is no way to know who is and who is not likely to become vaccine injured. We do know that those with genetic mutations, autoimmune diseases, allergies, weakened immune systems, mitochondrial dysfunction, etc should not be vaccinated. However, most people do not know if they have certain genetic mutations or mitochondrial dysfunction. The bottom line is there is no way to predict who will have an adverse reaction and therefore this decision is best left to an individual and their healthcare provider, not a blanket mandate by the state.□

Some of the damaging ingredients in the vaccines on the market today:□ MSG, antifreeze, phenol (used as a disinfectant), formaldehyde (cancer causing and used to embalm), aluminum (associated with Alzheimer's disease and seizures), glycerin (toxic to the kidney, liver, can cause lung damage, gastrointestinal damage and death), lead, cadmium, sulfates, yeast proteins, antibiotics, acetone (used in nail polish remover), neomycin and streptomycin. And the ingredient making the press is thimerosal (more toxic than mercury, a preservative still used in many vaccines, not easily eliminated, can cause severe neurological damage as well as other life threatening autoimmune disease). These vaccines are grown and strained through animal or human tissue, like monkey and dog kidney tissue, chick embryo, calf serum, human diploid cells (the dissected organs of aborted fetuses), pig blood, horse blood and rabbit brain.

If there is an adverse event, the individual is responsible for proving the injury, has to pay \$400 to file a complaint and has to hire a lawyer to defend them. The maker of the vaccine is not held liable and cannot be sued for any injury that might occur. □ This is

the case in the United States. However, Spain, Japan, France, India and more are filing criminal charges against the makers of the HPV vaccine.

Vaccination is linked to a number of adverse health outcomes including: acute encephalopathy, anaphylaxis, Guillain Barre Syndrome, acute and chronic arthritis, smallpox, polio, measles and varicella zoster vaccine strain infections (i.e. getting the illness that you were vaccinated against; can also be a carrier of these infections and spread to others), chronic nervous system dysfunction, febrile seizures, brachial neuritis, thrombocytopenia, shock, syncope, and even death. There is also some evidence that vaccinations could be linked to the following: asthma, allergies, autism, communication disorders, intellectual disability, disruptive behavior disorder, seizures, epilepsy, autoimmune disorders (e.g. POTS, MS, DM1, and many more), learning disorders, tics and Tourette's, ADHD, and more. □ Check the VAERS database for all the reported vaccine injuries in the United States alone. This doesn't account for all the injuries that occur around the world.

There is evidence of outbreaks in 100% vaccinated populations and mandated vaccines will not protect us from illness. In fact, in the recent pertussis outbreak in California, 80% were vaccinated, and the vaccine was only 24-41% effective. We know that those vaccinated can also be silent carriers and actually spread disease. □ Why would St. Jude hospital ask people not enter the hospital if they've been vaccinated within FOUR weeks.

https://www.stjude.org/content/dam/en_US/shared/www/patient-support/do-you-knows/gen-info-visit-guides.pdf They need to include those who've received the nasal flu vaccine as it is also a live virus. The packet insert should warn of this.

The bottom line is that there is NOT enough evidence to definitively state that vaccination is safe for everyone, and therefore individuals and parents should always be able to choose, with the advice of their own healthcare providers. □ Whatever they choose should be respected.

Most importantly, in medicine we are given INFORMED CONSENT (per the Nuremberg Code) and therefore also have the option of informed dissent. We do not have to say yes to any medical procedure or treatment. Vaccines are no different. We have a right to our bodies and what goes in them. The state and the federal government has no right to mandate vaccination.

Please do your due diligence and read everything the other opposers are providing besides what I provide. The links below are a start. Remember that we elected you to

represent us, not the money that back you. If we feel that you have not done your due diligence, you will no longer represent us.

"When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation."

"To secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed -- That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness... // ...But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security."

~ United States Declaration of Independence

Some links to support my stance. Please watch/read before making your decision.

The Greater Good

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o_nWp6ZHA2Q

Bought: <http://www.boughtmovie.net/free-viewing/>

Listing of peer reviewed research:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jennifer Noelani Ahia	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I am a healthcare practitioner in the field of Chinese Medicine. I hold a Masters in Science in Traditional Oriental Medicine from The Pacific College of Oriental Medicine in New York City. I currently practice on the Island of Maui. I am opposed to this bill. I have extensive training in vaccine theory. While I am not opposed to all vaccines, I am opposed to them being forced of people. The decision to vaccinate should be between an individual and their healthcare practitioner.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jennifer Ruggles	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: In consideration of Supreme Court Ruling Roe v Wade I encourage you oppose HB 1946. The Court asserted that the primary right being preserved in the Roe decision was that of the physician to practice medicine freely absent a compelling state interest – not women's rights in general. This means physicians have a right to practice medicine, including immunization decisions, without influence of the State. With this in mind, it is reasonable to leave the immunization decisions between patient and physicians. Furthermore, in realistic consideration of the people you represent, many will not consent to invasive state mandated procedures. It would be in the interest of the state's budget to not have to process the increased number of citizens who would be penalized as a result of the this bill. Please uphold rights asserted by the supreme court, save the State, and people money and hassle by opposing HB 1946. Thank you, Jennifer Ruggles

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jennifer Viets	Individual	Comments Only	No

Comments: *This bill removes doctors, nurses and the individual from the decision-making process. It allows for pharmacists to vaccinate – pharmacists are not doctors and don't have all of your medical history in order to help you make the best decision for you or your children based on your medical history. *Vaccines are not safe for everyone and at this point, because there is no long-term safety data, there is no way to know who is and who is not likely to become vaccine injured. We do know that those with genetic mutations, autoimmune diseases, allergies, weakened immune systems, mitochondrial dysfunction, etc should not be vaccinated. However, most people do not know if they have certain genetic mutations or mitochondrial dysfunction. The bottom line is there is no way to predict who will have an adverse reaction and therefore this decision is best left to an individual and their healthcare provider, not a blanket mandate by the state. *Some of the damaging ingredients in the vaccines on the market today: MSG, antifreeze, phenol (used as a disinfectant), formaldehyde (cancer causing and used to embalm), aluminum (associated with alzheimer's disease and seizures), glycerin (toxic to the kidney, liver, can cause lung damage, gastrointestinal damage and death), lead, cadmium, sulfates, yeast proteins, antibiotics, acetone (used in nail polish remover), neomycin and streptomycin. And the ingredient making the press is thimerosal (more toxic than mercury, a preservative still used in many vaccines, not easily eliminated, can cause severe neurological damage as well as other life threatening autoimmune disease). These vaccines are grown and strained through animal or human tissue, like monkey and dog kidney tissue, chick embryo, calf serum, human diploid cells (the dissected organs of aborted fetuses), pig blood, horse blood and rabbit brain. *If there is an adverse event, the individual is responsible for proving the injury, has to pay \$400 to file a complaint and has to hire a lawyer to defend them. The maker of the vaccine is not held liable and cannot be sued for any injury. That might occur. * Vaccination is linked to a number of adverse health outcomes including: acute encephalopathy, anaphylaxis, Guillain Barre Syndrome, acute and chronic arthritis, smallpox, polio, measles and varicella zoster vaccine strain infections (i.e. getting the illness that you were vaccinated against; can also be a carrier of these infections and spread to others), chronic nervous system dysfunction, febrile seizures, brachial neuritis, thrombocytopenia, shock, syncope, and even death. There is also some evidence that vaccinations could be linked to the following: asthma, allergies, autism,

communication disorders, intellectual disability, disruptive behavior disorder, seizures, epilepsy, autoimmune disorders (e.g. POTS, MS, DM1, and many more), learning disorders, tics and Tourette's, ADHD, and more. *There is evidence of outbreaks in 100% vaccinated populations and mandated vaccines will not protect us from illness. In fact, in the recent pertussis outbreak in California, 80% were vaccinated, and the vaccine was only 24-41% effective. We know that those vaccinated can also be silent carriers and actually spread disease. *The bottom line is that there is NOT enough evidence to definitively state that vaccination is safe for everyone, and therefore individuals and parents should always be able to choose, with the advice of their own healthcare providers. *Most importantly, in medicine we are given INFORMED CONSENT (per the Nuremberg Code) and therefore also have the option of informed dissent. We do not have to say yes to any medical procedure or treatment. Vaccines are no different. We have a right to our bodies and what goes in them. The state has no right to mandate vaccination. Mahalo, Jennifer Viets

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
jenny hudson	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Concerned citizen and mother absolutely OPPOSED to this

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To Whom It May Concern,

I strongly oppose SB2393. The proposed changes to the law would take any power to decide immunization practices away from the State of Hawaii and give it to the federal government. Hawaii is a state different from the contiguous United States. It has its own climate, its own culture and its own set of needs and challenges.

This bill takes away the citizens of Hawaii's right to choose for themselves what they will have put into their bodies. Vaccines, although useful in some cases, are not safe or effective for everyone. Taking away the State's rights on this very important issue, knowing there is no legal recourse should some of its citizens become vaccine injured, would be socially and morally negligent.

Sincerely,

Jessica Arnett

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jessica McCormick	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: The bill SB2393 will take away Hawaii's ability to decide which vaccines are right for our people. There are over 270 new vaccines in the process of being created. That is a lot of vaccines that we may not even need! This bill is giving our state's power away to the federal government, and I know Hawaii wants to keep it's autonomy. Please OPPOSE this bill.

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Jessica Mitchell	Individual	Oppose	No

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Jill White	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha, I have a vaccine injured son with Autism. Dale is nine years old and only has a handful of ineligibile words. We need to be able to look at our family history and make individual decisions regarding our families health care choices. I am writing to you to ask you to oppose 7 bills that combined could turn Hawaii into America's only FORCED vaccination state: HB 1946, SB 2393, HB 1910, SB 2316, HB 1945, SB 2394, and HB 1722. HPV VACCINE MANDATES FOR KIDS I urge you to OPPOSE HB 1910 and SB 2316 which would mandate that all students entering 7th grade in Hawaii receive at least one dose of HPV (human papillomavirus vaccine). These bills would also allow pharmacists to administer HPV Vaccines to children between the ages of 11 and 17 and require all insurance policies to cover 3 visits for HPV Vaccine. SB 2316 is scheduled for a hearing on Feb. 2, 2016 at 9:45 AM in conference room 229. This is a joint committee hearing with the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Health and the Senate Committee on Education. · HPV is a sexually transmitted virus and not contagious in a school setting so a school vaccine mandate is unnecessary. The vaccine is already available to anyone who wants it so legislative requirements are not necessary; · HPV infection is experienced by the majority of sexually active women and men and is naturally cleared from the body within two years by more than 90 percent of those who become infected; · Merck studied GARDASIL for less than 3 years in about 1200 healthy girls and 1400 healthy boys under age 16; it was not tested in children with health problems or in combination with all the other vaccines routinely given to American adolescents; · Thousands of reports of unexplained collapse, seizures, muscle pain and weakness; disabling fatigue, paralysis, brain inflammation, rheumatoid arthritis, lupus, blood clots, multiple sclerosis, strokes, heart and other serious health problems, including death, have been reported after GARDASIL shots; · CERVARIX was studied for less than 6 years in fewer than 1200 healthy girls under age 15; it was not tested in children with health problems or when given simultaneously with other childhood vaccines; · Unexplained collapse, muscle and joint pain and weakness; fatigue; brain inflammation, reactive and rheumatoid arthritis, lupus, scleroderma, hypothyroidism; multiple sclerosis, optic neuritis, spontaneous abortions, heart and other serious health problems, including death, have been reported after CERVARIX shots; · It is not known whether GARDASIL or CERVARIX can cause infertility, cancer or damage genes. REQUIRED

VACCINATION FOR ALL I urge you to OPPOSE HB 1946 and SB 2393 which, by replacing the word “may” with “shall”, would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children. SB 2393 is scheduled for a hearing Feb. 4, 2016 at 9:00 AM in the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health in conference room 229. I urge you to also OPPOSE HB 1722, which would eliminate the religious belief exemption to vaccination for public school students. This bill prohibits a parent from exercising their freedom of conscience that applies to their religious beliefs and obtaining a religious exemption for their child for one or more state required vaccinations. · There is No Compelling State Interest. There is no public health emergency or compelling state interest that justifies forcing vaccination by violating the right to freedom of conscience and personally held sincere religious beliefs. o High Vaccination Rates, Low Vaccine Exemption Rates. In the 2013-2014 school year, the CDC reported that an estimated 99% of kindergarten children in Hawaii had received five DTaP shots; 98.7% had received two MMR shots and 99.2% had received two varicella zoster shots, (The CDC excluded Hawaii’s rates in the 2014-2015 report) The CDC also reported only 754 students had religious vaccine exemptions in the whole state, giving Hawaii the distinction of having one of the highest vaccination rates in the country along with low vaccine exemption rates. o Low Infectious Disease Rates. According to the CDC, in 2014 Hawaii had a pertussis incidence rate of 2.7 per 100,000 persons (38 pertussis cases), one of the lowest in the nation. Also according to the CDC, during the past year, Hawaii has had zero cases of measles reported. o No Other State Requires Everyone to Be Vaccinated. o Exemptions Should be Expanded, not Restricted. · Vaccines Carry a Risk of Harm. 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 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 minor children. · Vaccine Manufacturers Have No Civil Liability. The 1986 law partially shielded drug companies selling vaccines in the U.S. from civil liability and, in 2011, the US Supreme Court completely shielded vaccine manufacturers from liability for FDA licensed and CDC recommended vaccines. There is no product liability or accountability for pharmaceutical companies marketing federally recommended and state mandated vaccines that injure Americans or cause their death, which makes flexible medical and non-medical vaccine exemptions in vaccine policies and laws the only way Americans can protect themselves and their children from vaccine risks and failures. · Many New Vaccines are Coming. The

CDC's childhood vaccine schedule in 1983 was 23 doses of seven vaccines (DPT, MMR, polio) given before age six, and the cost of vaccinating a child with all federally recommended vaccines was \$80 per child in a pediatric private practice. That cost has increased to about \$2800 per child in 2015 because the numbers of federally recommended vaccines for children has increased to 69 doses of 16 vaccines between day of birth and age 18. There are several thousand vaccine clinical trials being conducted, including for infectious and non-infectious diseases such as gonorrhea, syphilis, chlamydia, HIV/AIDS, genital herpes, RSV, strep B, cytomegalovirus, hepatitis C, tuberculosis, e-coli, salmonella, asthma, diabetes, obesity, anti-cocaine and heroin use. Many of these new vaccines in development will be federally recommended for children. · Hawaii's Medical Exemptions are Too Strict to Use. The CDC Reports that 0 kindergarten students in Hawaii used a medical exemption in the 2014-2015 school year. Current law §325-34 only allows medical exemptions for 3 months after a duly licensed physician, physician assistant, or an authorized representative of the department of health has signed two copies of a certificate stating the name and address of the person and that because of a stated cause the health of the person would be endangered by the vaccination or immunization. This is too short a period of time for the medical exemption to apply for children with long term health problems or with a history of vaccine reactions. If the religious exemption is removed, this medical exemption is the only exemption that is available for school children. Physicians should not be time restricted by the legislature in exercising their professional judgement about medical exemptions for vaccination. When there is risk of harm from a pharmaceutical product, especially a product that is marketed by companies completely shielded from civil liability, the parent's or individual's right to exercise conscience, religious belief and informed consent on behalf of a minor child or themselves must be legally protected. In light of the fact that vaccine risks are not borne equally by all due to known and unknown individual genetic and other biological or environmental susceptibilities, parental rights, individual informed consent rights, as well as those of a state licensed physician or designated vaccine provider to exercise professional judgment in protecting a child from vaccine injury and death, must be preserved in health policies and laws. The least restrictive means for ensuring the public health and safety should be employed by the legislature to protect public trust in the wisdom and fairness of government policy and law. There is no public health emergency in Hawaii or compelling state interest that justifies the passage of these bills which would violate human, civil and parental rights. **FLU SHOT MANDATES FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS** I urge you to also **OPPOSE** HB 1945 and SB 2394 which would mandate health care workers receive a yearly flu vaccine. "Health care worker" means all persons, whether paid or unpaid, working or delivering services in a health care facility, including contractors and their employees whose occupational activities involve direct or indirect contact with patients or contaminated material in a health care, hospital, or clinical laboratory setting. SB 2394 is scheduled for a hearing Feb. 4, 2016 at 9:00 AM in the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health in conference room 229. · The flu shot is the most compensated vaccine for vaccine injuries and deaths in the National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program. · According to the CDC, the 2014-15 flu shot was only approximately 19% effective. · Multi-dose influenza vaccines contain thimerosal, a mercury derivative and known neurotoxin. · Flu shots are invasive medical procedures and can induce a

range of symptoms including Guillain-Barre Syndrome and anaphylactic reactions. · Many labor unions opposed mandatory flu vaccination for health care workers. · The Cochrane Collaboration concluded, "There is no evidence that only vaccinating healthcare workers prevents laboratory-proven influenza or its complications (lower respiratory tract infection, hospitalisation or death due to lower respiratory tract infection) in individuals aged 60 or over in LTCIs and thus no evidence to mandate compulsory vaccination of healthcare workers". · Physicians, in the American Medical Association Code of Ethics, affirm philosophical and religious exemptions for themselves. Employees should not be discriminated against for choosing not to take a flu vaccine. · Nobody should be forced to have to choose between a flu shot and their job. No one should have to subject their family to substances that have already caused adverse reactions to blood relatives. Sincerely, Jill White 95-1011 Kaapeha St #44 Mililani HI 96789 342-3613

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Joanna Tano	Individual	Oppose	No

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Joe Ritter	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Testimony from Dr. Joe Ritter-Kihe'i Maui Hawaii 96753 House District 11 Senate District 6 I DO NOT SUPPORT SB2393 or Companion bill 1946 on dictating vaccination without public input. Not all vaccines are bad, but this bill is bad and represents a conflict of interest. Public input is an important tool in the democratic process and I'm appalled that Introducers Baker and others wish to REMOVE the voice of the public on rule changes. Without a public voice there is no Democracy! I must speak out when the public voice is removed from any discussion. That is wrong and can't be justified by hiding behind a health argument. People have a right to control their own bodies regardless of what bill introducer Senator Baker thinks. This bill opens the door to forced, mandated vaccines for all against public will. Any vaccine on the national recommendation ACIP list could be mandated. This includes vaccine examples like last years flu shot which was ineffective and Gardasil which is dangerous. Not all vaccines are bad, but this bill is bad. This medical bill is Roz Baker and the other introducers way of giving the people a Vocal Cord Cordectomy! The Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health. Health was tacked on as an afterthought when leadership was stripped from a real Doctor and given to Baker who takes money from pharmaceutical companies. Chair Baker has a clear conflict of interest because of the money she continually takes from medical lobbyists and corporations. This bill and the several related bills are quite simply about campaign spending paying politicians to promote their agenda while silencing the people. This is disgusting, undemocratic and this conflict of interest should be viewed as an ethics violation. Further by removing public testimony from vaccine rule making process you leave us in the hands of the inept Department of Health that has abdicated its responsibilities for a long time and as a result of their not listening to their own experts, we have a growing epidemic on Hawaii Island due to their mismanagement. DOH is are being sued for ignoring human health rights on Maui for decades. We can not put our health in their hands alone, nor in the hands of anyone without our input. The public being bypassed includes doctors, teachers, scientists, and parents. It includes mothers and young people who have rights which are being stripped away daily by this corporate funded political machine. This bill should not move forward. Please OPPOSE SB2393. Please uphold the public trust doctrine. Do not let corporate politics silence the people, that sets a dangerous precedent. We are

watching. Dr. Joe Ritter-Kihei Hawaii 96753 House District 11 Senate District 6

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John Begg	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: We were neither created nor have we evolved to require forced injections for survival. It is a complete human construct for profits and control. When and if you decide to get a vaccination ask the physician, practitioner, facility owner, vaccine maker or anyone involved to give to you THE unequivocal acceptance of liability for the harm it MAY do to you or your loved one. Additionally, be sure to get your official GUARANTEE of effectiveness. I assure you that these documents do not and will never exist. While I have empathy for the parents of the child/children who is/are too ill for a vaccination I want to know which of them will assure me or anyone that I/we are not vulnerable to harm from the vaccination serum! There is no such assurance to cause no harm. Furthermore, if you have such a strong belief in the vaccination then you are protected in that world of thinking and I am the one at risk so why aren't you feeling secure? Then, humans are born defective and each of us has an expiration date. While you may temporarily be saved you can know it is only temporary because infinite is for the gods, legends and hope. Finally, humans are devolving due to the progressive effects of malnutrition, dehydration and pollution. Survival of the fittest does not mean progressively stronger, just the strongest of the weak. Wake up and see the signs all around you.

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John Gelert	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: My understanding of the bill is that it changes rules to the current vaccination policy, and could set the stage for mandatory vaccination for all citizens, without public notice, public hearings, or comment requirements. There is much new scientific evidence that many of today's vaccines are harmful, most causing neurological problems including autism.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kai Creagh	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I do not want to loose the public testimony for rule changes at the department of health. The "public" includes doctors, scientists, parents and teachers of our community. Their opinions should be taken into account when the department of health is making new rules about vaccinations. I don't want a government agency coming between my doctor and my care. It is my body and if you are going to have the conversation about rule changes, the PUBLIC should be heard. This bill, as written, is appalling.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Katarina Culina	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha, Please oppose this bill. There should be no mandatory vaccinations without clearly disclosed ingredients and clearly proven data of effectiveness. I also agree with these statements: Whether you agree with vaccinations or not, it should be our right as parents to choose what we think is right for the health of our children."Our religious and spiritual practices are a human right. HI entered legislation today to require immunization with no religious exemption for public school students." Dr. Patricia McLean. As we know, vaccinations are not the only way to keep our children safe, for example Homeoprophylaxis, and with the risks of side effects and knowledge of vaccination ingredients, it should be a parents or individual's choice to vaccinate, or not. Mahalo, Katarina Culina Po box 2142 Paho, HI 96778

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Katherine Gravesen	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: This bill will limit our health care freedom Vaccines are not without dangers. The VAERS the government agency that pays out vaccine injury claims has paid out of 3 BILLION dollars to people that have been injured from vaccines.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kimberly Usher	fightforyourhealth.blogspot.com	Oppose	No

Comments: True flag colors from those who brought this bill forward...Skull and Cross Bones... Greed, and ignorance once again from the same ones...shows even more. Poisoned food purveyors who help destroy our health, but act like this is otherwise... Now this ridiculous example of legislation... I blog about vaccination injury...so don't think my anger is out of the blue either... READ MY BLOG! Here's a little bit..."ER Vaccine Injury Cover-UP A nurse has written a frightening and scary account of working the emergency room when a vaccine injury was presented to her. The child patient was seizing. The child had received vaccines within a few hours and had been rushed to the hospital by ambulance. The ambulance report was a male child who had just received vaccinations a few hours ago, who was progressively deteriorating in mentation and finally experienced sudden onset seizing. It was what we call status epilepticus, where the seizure starts, and it doesn't stop. It just keeps going. I wrote in large letters across the bottom of the paramedic report "JUST RECEIVED VACCINATIONS, NOW SEIZING"

<http://vaccinationinjury.blogspot.com/2015/12/er-vaccine-injury-cover-up.html> I leave you with a letter of note by Mark Twain... Kimberly Usher Nov. 20. 1905 J. H. Todd 1212 Webster St. San Francisco, Cal. Dear Sir, Your letter is an insoluble puzzle to me. The handwriting is good and exhibits considerable character, and there are even traces of intelligence in what you say, yet the letter and the accompanying advertisements profess to be the work of the same hand. The person who wrote the advertisements is without doubt the most ignorant person now alive on the planet; also without doubt he is an idiot, an idiot of the 33rd degree, and scion of an ancestral procession of idiots stretching back to the Missing Link. It puzzles me to make out how the same hand could have constructed your letter and your advertisements. Puzzles fret me, puzzles annoy me, puzzles exasperate me; and always, for a moment, they arouse in me an unkind state of mind toward the person who has puzzled me. A few moments from now my resentment will have faded and passed and I shall probably even be praying for you; but while there is yet time I hasten to wish that you may take a dose of your own poison by mistake, and enter swiftly into the damnation which you and all other patent medicine assassins have so remorselessly earned and do so richly deserve. Adieu, adieu, adieu! Mark Twain

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Kirk Puuohau-Pummill	Individual	Oppose	No

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Lana Perry	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lani Orr	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I oppose any legislation that removes the public right to hear about it and submit testimony for or against. This bill is such. Also the basic assumption in this bill that the US Dept of Health and Human Services recommendation on immunizations is a valid reason for the State of Hawaii to adopt such, is faulty logic at best, and unwarranted government control at worst.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lauren Ampolos	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I am writing after being made aware of SB2393. I am writing as a scientist-practitioner. I am writing as a concerned citizen. But most importantly I am writing as a victim of adverse reactions to injections. My understanding of the bill is that it changes rules to the current vaccination policy, and could set the stage for mandatory vaccination for all citizens, without public notice, public hearings, or comment requirements. As such, I feel the need to take a stand and speak up about this flawed bill now, for if it passes, I will unlikely have a chance to meaningfully comment again. Mandatory vaccination is a scary thought for me. As I previously mentioned, I suffered from an adverse reaction to injections, not once, but twice. I have a very sensitive system, and after years of trying to figure out why, thanks to current advances in individualized healthcare, I have some answers. And there is still much to learn. However, I now know that I have a genetic mutation that impairs the methylation cycle in my system. As a result of this mutation, I am unable to clear toxins adequately. I also have an overactive immune system. Any increase to the toxic load in my system creates significant health issues for me. And because vaccinations affect the immune system, they can be very damaging to someone with autoimmune issues. I know that I am not alone in this, and that there are many others who cannot tolerate vaccinations. For example, I have several friends who have had to stop HPV injections prior to completing the series after experiencing neurological and autoimmune issues as a result of the vaccination. These women, like myself, still suffer from a variety of autoimmune issues. The truth is, while we have studies indicating safety, we know there are no guarantees of safety and that adverse reactions and permanent injuries from vaccines is a real and frightening possibility. We do not have enough information to be able to predict who will and who will not be affected. We are just scratching the surface of understanding genetics, epigenetics, the immune system and how vaccination with a long list of ingredients, including potentially harmful adjuvants and preservatives, could interfere with health and wellbeing. We don't know what we don't know, and our ignorance could do real harm. For one of many examples, in France an adolescent woman developed Multiple Sclerosis following HPV vaccination. Her family sued and the court found that the vaccine was 50% responsible for the development of MS as a result of the injection. We also know that this young woman had genetic vulnerabilities. I think that until we understand the individual risks of vaccination, we should not force it upon people

who could have an adverse reaction. Vaccination is linked to a number of adverse health outcomes including: acute encephalopathy, anaphylaxis, Guillain Barre Syndrome, acute and chronic arthritis, smallpox, polio, measles and varicella zoster vaccine strain infections (i.e. getting the illness that you were vaccinated against; can also be a carrier of these infections and spread to others), chronic nervous system dysfunction, febrile seizures, brachial neuritis, thrombocytopenia, shock, syncope, and even death. There is also some evidence that vaccinations could be linked to the following: asthma, allergies, autism, communication disorders, intellectual disability, disruptive behavior disorder, seizures, epilepsy, autoimmune disorders (e.g. POTS, MS, DM1, and many more), learning disorders, tics and Tourette's, ADHD, and more. The bottom line is that there is NOT enough evidence to definitively state that vaccination is safe for everyone, and therefore individuals and parents should always be able to choose, with the advice of their own healthcare providers, what the true risk to benefit ratio is for them individually at any given moment. If there is an outbreak, that might change the decision, or it might not. The state should not be able to force mandatory vaccinations, disregarding the need to determine individual risk (e.g. genetic risk, prematurity, pre-existing autoimmune issues and allergies, etc). In addition to the potential reactions, we also must consider the failures of effectiveness. For a very incomplete list of examples: - The flu shot is a catastrophe, with an effectiveness rate of 23% for 2014-2015 season. This year might only be slightly better. Many report that the flu vaccine actually causes illness post-injection. In fact, there are more than 104,465 adverse reactions, hospitalizations (9,037), injuries, disabilities (2,003) and deaths (1,115) reported to the Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System (VAERS). - DTaP is also waning in effectiveness, with outbreaks occurring in vaccinated populations. Furthermore, those vaccinated with DTaP become silent carriers for pertussis and can spread the illness to those with waning immunity or those who are unable to be vaccinated. In 2010 there were approximately 27,500 cases of pertussis, with 27 deaths (25 of 27 of those were in children under one). Despite vaccination rate, pertussis cases increase about every four to five years. An analysis conducted on the outbreak of pertussis in California in 2010 determined that 80% of those infected were fully vaccinated, and that the effectiveness of the vaccine was only 24-41%. There are a host of contraindications for DTaP based on peer-reviewed evidence including: family history of neurological disease or convulsions, premature or low birth weight, cerebral irritation in the neonatal period, personal or family history of allergies and/or autoimmune diseases, milk allergy, and illness at time of vaccination. Not to mention the fact that the first reaction to be associated with DTaP was death in 1933 after two babies died within hours of injection. There are some who suspect that death following DTaP is misclassified as Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS). - The HPV vaccine is highly controversial and perhaps even unnecessary for most (90% who are exposed to HPV no longer have infections within two years; however, still develop antibodies for future protection), with a high amount experiencing severe injury post-injection. The vaccine was only studied for less than two years before it went to market, and was compared to a bioactive aluminum-containing placebo, which likely masked differences in groups on adverse outcome measures (as opposed to comparing with a non-toxic placebo). There were 40,593 adverse vaccine reactions reported to VAERS, and 225 deaths as a result of vaccination. - There are several outbreaks of measles that have occurred in highly vaccinated populations - one example at 100%

fully vaccinated. VAERS reports evidence 7,647 adverse events, including 392 deaths, with over half of those in children under three years old. As such, I truly hope that you will consider opposing SB2393. I should clarify that I am not anti-vaccination, but rather pro-choice. I believe that vaccination is a choice that should be made with an individual's healthcare provider. If you have any interest in speaking further, I am available for discussion. Thank you in advance for your consideration to this matter. Aloha, Lauren Ampolos, PhD, BCB

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Aloha,

I am sending you this message in regards to the recent proposed bill for Hawaii, SB2393, I am a mother and an auntie to many, and I am sincerely asking that you oppose these bills.

I feel that it is the right of a parent or legal guardian to raise children and make appropriate medical decisions for them. I also am aware of the uncertainty of the safety of vaccines, and the truth is that vaccines have not proven to be as effective as they claim to be.

This bill is a threat to the health & safety of our keiki, I urge you oppose it.

Thank you & God Bless you,

Laurenn Schiek

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Laurie Bauers	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I am a sovereign human being with rights to my own body. No other person has a right to make a decision on my body other than me. Mahalo for listening.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Leianna Webb	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly disagree with this bill as I feel my husband and I have the God given right to choose what we allow to be injected into our children. We honor God's Word and his design of our bodies and how we protect and heal naturally.

Researching and reading the side effects of vaccines out weigh the pros for us. We will not play roulette with our children's health and life. WE ARE OPPOSED to this bill passing. Mahalo, Leianna Webb

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Leonard Nakoa III	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: This sucks and we should be able to decide if i like vaccinations or not. not big medical companies and the state or anybody. this is stupid cause me and my ohana use natural stuff. u dummies. I will track this and contact all of u by email and phone call.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Litea Maiava	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: It is truly disheartening that the state of Hawaii and its elected officials continue to misrepresent both the state and the individuals that comprise this state. As a mother of 3 daughters I cannot even fathom being forced to inject their bodies with some foreign substance, in hopes that it will beef up American herd immunity. After all that is what we are, right? A herd. Aimless sheep waiting to be fed whatever our herders shove down our throats. I don't want to waste time going off on a tangent. Not that this will stimulate politicians minds to change gears, but its worth a shot. Vaccines are not a 100%, that is a fact. Biologically we are all created differently, that is a fact. There is not enough evidence or studies that can predict who is genetically predisposed to incur adverse reactions, that is fact. Adverse reactions, especially in children, happen every YEAR in the United States, that is a fact. The federally mandated vaccine schedule from 1983 to 2015 has nearly tripled, in dosages, and new vaccines, FACT! If vaccines were working, wouldn't there be less of them, or at least around the same number of them? Why would there be 3 times more over 30 years time? By passing this bill and others alike the state of Hawaii is telling me that I have to give my children [in order to be functional members in this society] vaccines that are not a 100% effective, vaccines that may have adverse reactions, vaccines that our medical professionals lack the wherewithal to know who is predisposed to suffer from these adverse reactions, vaccines that never even existed when I was growing up, and then times it by 3. You got to be kidding me, to know that I could be responsible for changing my child in a way that can't be undone, no, I won't play that game. I am not against the integrity of vaccinations, but I am completely opposed to allowing a federally mandated vaccine schedule to permeate my children without the proper independent research to support it. It would be a gross incompetence for the state of Hawaii to engage in such an act, and similar ones.

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Mahealani Maioho	Individual	Oppose	No

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Marcy Koltun-Crilley	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I STRONGLY OPPOSE SB 2393 By replacing the word “may” with “shall”, would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children. Basically I believe this will mean that every vaccine that comes down the pike and ACIP approves will be forced on the people of Hawaii, even if they are new. In addition several other bills are trying to eliminate the religious exemption as well as mandate annual Flu vaccine for all healthcare workers. As you know, vaccine manufacturers are not liable for vaccine injuries and vaccines are a medical procedure given to HEALTHY people so this risk needs to be extremely low compared to the benefit. I see no reason other than the drug company lobby to pass such a bill. Marcy Koltun-Crilley R.N. Kihei, Hi 96753 808-874-5644

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My name is Martha Werner. I live at 205 Kulipuu St.
I completely and totally object to forced immunization of any kind. We have the right to choose. And if these bills pass you will see me for I will be protesting.
Martha Werner.

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margaux burton	Individual	Oppose	Yes

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Martha Stephens	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Thank you very much. Martha Stephens

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Marti Berrett	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Frankly, I do not have enough faith in the United States Department of Health and Human Services to exempt the Hawaii Department of Health from the current rulemaking process. All forms of government need checks and balances and allowing the Department of Health this exemption would remove a very important step in Hawaii's rulemaking process.

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Mary Smart	Individual	Oppose	No

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Mary-Elizabeth Natividad	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: THIS BILL VIOLATES MY AND MY CHILDRENS CIVIL RIGHTS. It is my job to be responsible for my and my children's health and to weigh the risks and benefits of any offered procedure, including vaccinations. I am not against all shots, but I am against some and delay giving others to a few months or years later if no proof of clinical effectiveness is shown in trials for that specific age and feel that no one except for myself/spouse should force any non-life saving intervention on my children. In addition the cost of and Injury sustained by the administration of the mandate on someone against their will would put THE STATE OF HAWAII AT FINANCIAL RISK as the vaccine manufactures are legally protected and if someone dies or sustains long term injury from the mandate they WILL not only go after the MD who ordered it but also after the state. HAWAII CAN NOT AFFORD THIS BURDEN, MUCH LESS SUBJECT CIVIL RIGHTS VIOLATIONS WITH EVERY FORCED SHOT. Here are some HARD FACTS: *This bill removes doctors, nurses and the individual from the decision-making process. It allows for pharmacists to vaccinate – pharmacists are not doctors and don't have all of your medical history in order to help you make the best decision for you or your children based on your medical history. *Vaccines are not safe for everyone and at this point, because there is no long-term safety data, there is no way to know who is and who is not likely to become vaccine injured. We do know that those with genetic mutations, autoimmune diseases, allergies, weakened immune systems, mitochondrial dysfunction, etc should not be vaccinated. However, most people do not know if they have certain genetic mutations or mitochondrial dysfunction. The bottom line is there is no way to predict who will have an adverse reaction and therefore this decision is best left to an individual and their healthcare provider, not a blanket mandate by the state. *Some of the damaging ingredients in the vaccines on the market today:MSG, antifreeze, phenol (used as a disinfectant), formaldehyde (cancer causing and used to embalm), aluminum (associated with alzheimer's disease and seizures), glycerin (toxic to the kidney, liver, can cause lung damage, gastrointestinal damage and death), lead, cadmium, sulfates, yeast proteins, antibiotics, acetone (used in nail polish remover), neomycin and streptomycin. And the ingredient making the press is thimerosal (more toxic than mercury, a preservative still used in many vaccines, not easily eliminated, can cause severe neurological damage as well as other life threatening autoimmune

disease). These vaccines are grown and strained through animal or human tissue, like monkey and dog kidney tissue, chick embryo, calf serum, human diploid cells (the dissected organs of aborted fetuses), pig blood, horse blood and rabbit brain. *If there is an adverse event, the individual is responsible for proving the injury, has to pay \$400 to file a complaint and has to hire a lawyer to defend them. The maker of the vaccine is not held liable and cannot be sued for any injury. That might occur. *Vaccination is linked to a number of adverse health outcomes including: acute encephalopathy, anaphylaxis, Guillain Barre Syndrome, acute and chronic arthritis, smallpox, polio, measles and varicella zoster vaccine strain infections (i.e. getting the illness that you were vaccinated against; can also be a carrier of these infections and spread to others), chronic nervous system dysfunction, febrile seizures, brachial neuritis, thrombocytopenia, shock, syncope, and even death. There is also some evidence that vaccinations could be linked to the following: asthma, allergies, autism, communication disorders, intellectual disability, disruptive behavior disorder, seizures, epilepsy, autoimmune disorders (e.g. POTS, MS, DM1, and many more), learning disorders, tics and Tourette's, ADHD, and more. *There is evidence of outbreaks in 100% vaccinated populations and mandated vaccines will not protect us from illness. In fact, in the recent pertussis outbreak in California, 80% were vaccinated, and the vaccine was only 24-41% effective. We know that those vaccinated can also be silent carriers and actually spread disease. *The bottom line is that there is NOT enough evidence to definitively state that vaccination is safe for everyone, and therefore individuals and parents should always be able to choose, with the advice of their own healthcare providers. *Most importantly, in medicine we are given INFORMED CONSENT (per the Nuremberg Code) and therefore also have the option of informed dissent. We do not have to say yes to any medical procedure or treatment. Vaccines are no different. We have a right to our bodies and what goes in them. The state has no right to mandate vaccination.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Matthew Tuttle	Individual	Oppose	Yes

Comments: Something as personal as letting something enter into my body is NOT the choice of the Federal Government. It is my choice, any mandates or regulations need to be at the state level and subject to review. How dare you even suggest otherwise. Why even have a State Government if you just defer everything to the Feds?

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Testimony for CPH on Feb 4, 2016 09:00AM in Conference Room 229

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Mitsuko Hayakawa	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha Members of the CHP Committee, I am strongly opposed to SB2393 as I believe in maintaining state authority over health policy for our residents. Local residents and local leaders have a better understanding of the needs of Hawaii. Please continue to maintain local authority.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Momi Nobriga	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Questions remain about the efficacy and safety of vaccines. There are several whistleblowers who implicate the CDC of suppressing scientific research when the research doesn't resolutely support their position on vaccines. Please do not approve this bill. We the people have the right to body integrity, and sovereignty. My medical decisions are mine to make, and mine alone.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nadia Ranne	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: The Hawaii legislature is considering a bills, such as this SB2393 and others, that would require mandatory vaccinations, thereby removing the religious exemption to vaccination, and would seem to limit a medical provider's ability to argue for medical exemptions to vaccines. SB2393 even strips the Hawaii Department of Health's authority on this matter. The people must have the right to choose! The State of Hawaii must have the right to choose! -- This raises a number of grave concerns for parents, children, and patients in general. Parents have a right to make decisions about treatments for their children based on informed consent. Limiting a patient's ability to make informed decisions about what gets put into his or her body violates medical ethics. Individuals are also very different in how they respond to immune system stimulation and traces of toxins as found in vaccines. A vaccine or a vaccine schedule that might be safe for one person might not be for another. I know that the vaccination question is a hotly debated topic, even in the medical community. There is an abundance of evidence that shows the potential dangers of exposure to certain vaccines. --- Please oppose this bill. Protect our right to make healthcare choices in consultation with our trusted physicians. I call upon you to oppose ANY legislation that would restrict the current exemptions for vaccines.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nadine NEWLIGHT	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: The human body was designed to create antibodies to fight infections. These antibodies are manufactured only after exposure to the potential infection, and only if the immune system is not comprised. I have a right to this exposure, as my immune system is not too compromised to provide its own antibodies. Please do not unnecessarily interfere with nature. Mahalo.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
natasha sky	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Any legislature to pass such an evil bill will be HATED by the people. Remember that you work for the citizens of Hawaii, not the corporations. We the people OPPOSE, strongly. You will hear us in the thousands, we will never allow such a bill.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nathalia Hunter	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly oppose this bill. To remove the state from making health decisions regarding immunizations is unconstitutional. This is sickening. Federal recommendations do not have our state or our people in mind when making recommendations and to take yourself out of the decision process is just wrong. Why is the state giving up it's right to make these choices for it's people? Is it so that we no longer have a say in our health or what goes into our bodies? To slowly strip us of our rights? This will open the door to losing all of our rights not only for "immunizations" but for health care as well. I ask that you please oppose this bill.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nicholas Webb II	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I strongly OPPOSE this bill. I will not give the government/state the right to dictate what will be injected into my children. Thank you, Nicholas Webb II

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nicole Yokoyama	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I vehemently OPPOSE SB2393. This bill strips the people of our basic rights. It is a violation of the Constitution. This bill denies our Right to a Public Education for our Children. We pay taxes for Education, that is our right. This bill forces a medical intervention against peoples will that is dangerous, contains many toxic chemical adjuvants and there is no liability and no recourse for any damage caused. How dare you! How dare you take away our right to our own choice of what to have injected into our own bodies and that of our children!!! This bill is medical fascism at it's finest. I OPPOSE OPPOSE OPPOSE!!!

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
nina millar	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I oppose SB 2393 that places greater restrictions on exemptions from federal & state mandated vaccines. If the pharmaceutical companies are exempt from civil liabilities for mandated vaccines , does that make the state liable? Please vote no on this measure. Thank you , Nina Millar, RN

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
nnamdi kassel	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
raquel utrillo	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: It is our right as a parent to choose what we think is right for our health of our children. Our religious and spiritual practice are a human right.

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Rena Cuizon	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Riox Frosher	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: People should have the right to managing their OWN healthcare, NOT by an organization! Food is medicine NOT DRUGS!!! WE are NOT stupid and we don't need anyone telling us what to do with OUR bodies! Our voices need to be heard and OBEYED! WE THE PEOPLE are the government, not corporations or Big Pharma!

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
River Siver	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: *This bill removes doctors, nurses and the individual from the decision-making process. It allows for pharmacists to vaccinate – pharmacists are not doctors and don't have all of your medical history in order to help you make the best decision for you or your children based on your medical history. *Vaccines are not safe for everyone and at this point, because there is no long-term safety data, there is no way to know who is and who is not likely to become vaccine injured. We do know that those with genetic mutations, autoimmune diseases, allergies, weakened immune systems, mitochondrial dysfunction, etc should not be vaccinated. However, most people do not know if they have certain genetic mutations or mitochondrial dysfunction. The bottom line is there is no way to predict who will have an adverse reaction and therefore this decision is best left to an individual and their healthcare provider, not a blanket mandate by the state. *Some of the damaging ingredients in the vaccines on the market today: MSG, antifreeze, phenol (used as a disinfectant), formaldehyde (cancer causing and used to embalm), aluminum (associated with alzheimer's disease and seizures), glycerin (toxic to the kidney, liver, can cause lung damage, gastrointestinal damage and death), lead, cadmium, sulfates, yeast proteins, antibiotics, acetone (used in nail polish remover), neomycin and streptomycin. And the ingredient making the press is thimerosal (more toxic than mercury, a preservative still used in many vaccines, not easily eliminated, can cause severe neurological damage as well as other life threatening autoimmune disease). These vaccines are grown and strained through animal or human tissue, like monkey and dog kidney tissue, chick embryo, calf serum, human diploid cells (the dissected organs of aborted fetuses), pig blood, horse blood and rabbit brain. *If there is an adverse event, the individual is responsible for proving the injury, has to pay \$400 to file a complaint and has to hire a lawyer to defend them. The maker of the vaccine is not held liable and cannot be sued for any injury. That might occur. * Vaccination is linked to a number of adverse health outcomes including: acute encephalopathy, anaphylaxis, Guillain Barre Syndrome, acute and chronic arthritis, smallpox, polio, measles and varicella zoster vaccine strain infections (i.e. getting the illness that you were vaccinated against; can also be a carrier of these infections and spread to others), chronic nervous system dysfunction, febrile seizures, brachial neuritis, thrombocytopenia, shock, syncope, and even death. There is also some evidence that vaccinations could be linked to the following: asthma, allergies, autism,

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Robert Stapleton	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Ru Carley	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Clearly AGAINST!! Vaccinations are highly toxic and people MUST have the right to decide for themselves whether or not they want to put vaccines into their bodies. We need to ask ourselves WHY this has come up.

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S. Leinani Loa	Individual	Oppose	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Shannon Rudolph	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Oppose

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
sheree dudoit	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: we, as individuals, each have different beliefs whether it's due to personal reasons or religious beliefs. We all stand for what we believe. Amending this bill will only take away that right - our freedom to choose. Who are YOU to decide whether to vaccinate my child or not? If you take away this right, you should also be held responsible for their medical bills should they become ill! The flu shot has never benefited my family! A couple nurses that I know advised us not to take the flu shot because the two latest ones were not strong enough!! Not everyone's immune system are the same! Just because it works for one person, doesn't mean it'll work for the next! We should all be able to make our own decisions, ESPECIALLY when it comes to our Keikis' health! Please think about the future generation; the generation of our Keikis.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Sierra Dew	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I consider it a basic human right to be able to make my own educated health choices for myself and my family. To be forced into immunization goes against my freedoms, I should be able to make these informed decisions on my own.

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Sierra Dew
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2/2/16

Dear Representatives and Senators,

I am writing to you to ask you to oppose 7 bills that combined could turn Hawaii into America's only FORCED vaccination state: HB 1946, SB 2393, HB 1910, SB 2316, HB 1945, SB 2394, and HB 1722.

I consider it a basic human right to be able to make my own educated health choices for myself and my family. To be forced into immunization goes against my freedoms, I should be able to make these informed decisions on my own.

REQUIRED VACCINATION FOR ALL

I urge you to OPPOSE HB 1946 and SB 2393 which, by replacing the word "may" with "shall", would require that the state director of health implement rules for vaccine requirements for the state of Hawaii that codify federal recommendations by the ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) within 90 days of the recommendation. These apply to everyone, not just school children. SB 2393 is scheduled for a hearing Feb. 4, 2016 at 9:00 AM in the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health in conference room 229.

I urge you to also OPPOSE HB 1722, which would eliminate the religious belief exemption to vaccination for public school students. This bill prohibits a parent from exercising their freedom of conscience that applies to their religious beliefs and obtaining a religious exemption for their child for one or more state required vaccinations.

- There is No Compelling State Interest. There is no public health emergency or compelling state interest that justifies forcing vaccination by violating the right to freedom of conscience and personally held sincere religious beliefs.

- o High Vaccination Rates, Low Vaccine Exemption Rates. In the 2013-2014 school year, the CDC reported that an estimated 99% of kindergarten children in Hawaii had received five DTaP shots; 98.7% had received two MMR shots and 99.2% had received two varicella zoster shots, (The CDC excluded Hawaii's rates in the 2014-2015 report) The CDC also reported only 754 students had religious vaccine exemptions in the whole state, giving Hawaii the distinction of having one of the highest vaccination rates in the country along with low vaccine exemption rates.

o Low Infectious Disease Rates. According to the CDC, in 2014 Hawaii had a pertussis incidence rate of 2.7 per 100,000 persons (38 pertussis cases), one of the lowest in the nation. Also according to the CDC, during the past year, Hawaii has had zero cases of measles reported.

o No Other State Requires Everyone to Be Vaccinated.

o Exemptions Should be Expanded, not Restricted.

· Vaccines Carry a Risk of Harm. 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 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 minor children.

· Vaccine Manufacturers Have No Civil Liability. The 1986 law partially shielded drug companies selling vaccines in the U.S. from civil liability and, in 2011, the US Supreme Court completely shielded vaccine manufacturers from liability for FDA licensed and CDC recommended vaccines. There is no product liability or accountability for pharmaceutical companies marketing federally recommended and state mandated vaccines that injure Americans or cause their death, which makes flexible medical and non-medical vaccine exemptions in vaccine policies and laws the only way Americans can protect themselves and their children from vaccine risks and failures.

· Many New Vaccines are Coming. The CDC's childhood vaccine schedule in 1983 was 23 doses of seven vaccines (DPT, MMR, polio) given before age six, and the cost of vaccinating a child with all federally recommended vaccines was \$80 per child in a pediatric private practice. That cost has increased to about \$2800 per child in 2015 because the numbers of federally recommended vaccines for children has increased to 69 doses of 16 vaccines between day of birth and age 18. There are several thousand vaccine clinical trials being conducted, including for infectious and non-infectious diseases such as gonorrhea, syphilis, chlamydia, HIV/AIDS, genital herpes, RSV, strep B, cytomegalovirus, hepatitis C, tuberculosis, e-coli, salmonella, asthma, diabetes, obesity, anti-cocaine and heroin use. Many of these new vaccines in development will be federally recommended for children.

· Hawaii's Medical Exemptions are Too Strict to Use. The CDC Reports that 0 kindergarten students in Hawaii used a medical exemption in the 2014-2015 school year. Current law §325-34 only allows medical exemptions for 3 months after a duly licensed physician, physician assistant, or an authorized representative of the department of health has signed two copies of a certificate stating the name and address of the person and that because of a stated cause the health of the person would be endangered by the vaccination or immunization. This is too short a period of time for the medical exemption to apply for children with long term health problems or with a history of vaccine reactions. If the religious exemption is removed, this medical exemption is the only exemption that is available for school children. Physicians should not be time restricted by the legislature in exercising their professional judgement about medical exemptions for vaccination.

When there is risk of harm from a pharmaceutical product, especially a product that is marketed by companies completely shielded from civil liability, the parent's or individual's right to exercise conscience, religious belief and informed consent on behalf of a minor child or themselves must be legally protected. In light of the fact that vaccine risks are not borne equally by all due to known and unknown individual genetic and other biological or environmental susceptibilities, parental rights, individual informed consent rights, as well as those of a state licensed physician or designated vaccine provider to exercise professional judgment in protecting a child from vaccine injury and death, must be preserved in health policies and laws.

The least restrictive means for ensuring the public health and safety should be employed by the legislature to protect public trust in the wisdom and fairness of government policy and law. There is no public health emergency in Hawaii or compelling state interest that justifies the passage of these bills which would violate human, civil and parental rights.

Sincerely,

Sierra Dew

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Stephanie Manera	Individual	Oppose	No

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Susan Sims	Individual	Oppose	No

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Swami Om	Individual	Comments Only	No

Comments: Isn't it against our constitution to do things to force things like this on us?
What happened to our personal rights?

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Have you ever wondered what's really in vaccines? According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control's [vaccine additives page](#), all the following ingredients are routinely used as vaccine additives:

- **Aluminum** - A light metal that causes dementia and Alzheimer's disease. You should never inject yourself with aluminum.
- **Antibiotics** - Chemicals that promote [superbugs](#), which are deadly antibiotic-resistant strains of bacteria that are killing tens of thousands of Americans every year.
- **Formaldehyde** - A "pickling" chemical used to preserve cadavers. It's highly toxic to the nervous system, causing blindness, brain damage and seizures. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services openly admits that [formaldehyde causes cancer](#). You can see this yourself on the *National Toxicology Program* website, featuring its [12th Report on Carcinogens](#).

There, the [formaldehyde Fact Sheet](#) completely neglects to mention formaldehyde in vaccines. This is the "dirty little secret" of government and the vaccine industry. It does state, however, that "...formaldehyde causes myeloid leukemia, and rare cancers including sinonasal and nasopharyngeal cancer."

- **Monosodium Glutamate (MSG)** - A neurotoxic chemical called an "excitotoxin." It causes brain neurons to be overexcited to the point of death. MSG is toxic even when consumed in foods, where it causes migraine headaches and endocrine system damage. You should NEVER inject MSG into your body. But that's what health workers do when they inject you with [vaccines](#).
- **Thimerosal** - A methyl mercury compound that causes severe, permanent nervous system damage. Mercury is highly toxic to the brain. You should never touch, swallow or inject mercury at any dose. There is no safe dose of mercury! Doctors and [vaccine](#) pushers LIE to you and say there is no mercury in vaccines. Even the CDC readily admits vaccine still contain mercury (thimerosal).

In addition, *National Toxicology Programs* admits in [its own documents](#) that:

- Vaccinations "...may produce small but measurable increases in blood levels of mercury."
- "Thimerosal was found to cross the blood-brain and placenta barriers."
- The "...hazards of [thimerosal](#) include neurotoxicity and nephrotoxicity." (This means brain and kidney toxicity.)
- "...similar toxicological profiles between ethylmercury and methylmercury raise the possibility that neurotoxicity may also occur at low doses of thimerosal."

- "... there are no existing guidelines for safe exposure to ethylmercury, the metabolite of thimerosal."
- "...the assessment determined that the use of thimerosal as a preservative in vaccines might result in the intake of [mercury](#) during the first six months of life that exceeded recommended guidelines from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)..."
- "...In the U.S., thimerosal is still present as preservative in some vaccines given to young children, as well as certain biological products recommended during pregnancy. Thimerosal remains a preservative in some vaccines administered to adolescents and adults. In addition, thimerosal continues to be used internationally as a vaccine preservative."

The report then goes on to say that the FDA studies thimerosal and somehow found it to be perfectly safe. It also states that vaccine manufacturers are "working" to remove thimerosal from vaccines, but in reality it's still being manufactured right into the vaccines.

By the way, this report also reveals that the FDA requires preservatives like thimerosal only in so-called "multi-dose" vaccines -- vials that contain more than one dose of the vaccine. Drug companies could, if they wanted to, produce "clean" single-dose vaccines without any mercury / thimerosal. But they choose not to because it's more profitable to produce mercury-containing multi-dose vaccines. As the report admits, "Preservatives are not required for products formulated in single-dose vials. Multidose vials are preferred by some physicians and health clinics because they are often less expensive per vaccine dose and require less storage space."

So the reason why your child is being injected with vaccine boils down to health care offices **making more money and saving shelf space!**

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Tanja Miller	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Vaccines are not safe for everyone, and there has been shown an increase of incidents where vaccines have led to autism. There is NOT enough research on this topic and therefore I believe that the government is NOT in a position to mandate vaccines on the general public of Hawaii.

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Tara Compehos	Individual	Oppose	No

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Terry Mejia	Individual	Oppose	No

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Tiana Laranio	Individual	Oppose	No

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Tiffany kessner	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: In regards to SB2393, I strongly oppose this bill. No vaccination is without risk, and no manufacturer is liable for damages or death caused by their vaccine. Where there is risk, there should be choice. The supreme court said vaccines are "unavoidably unsafe", yet the govt gives the manufacturers total liability protection. How is that even ethical? If a bad lot kills a child or adult no one is held accountable, and that family is left with the carnage. People need to have informed consent, they need to know the risks, and they need to decide with their doctors what is appropriate for them as an individual, not the government. A one size fits all mandated schedule is incredibly dangerous, especially since the list of mandated vaccines keeps growing. How many shots is enough? 200 by 2 years old?

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Trinette Furtado	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha Chair Baker, Vice Chair Kidani and Committee Members, 'O Trinette Furtado ko'u inoa. Noho mai au ma Ha'iku, i ka moku o Hamakualoa, ma ka mokupuni o Maui. I OPPOSE SB2393 and ask that you do the same. There are several issues I have with this vagueness of legislation and if it is (as one legislator put it) "to start a conversation", I believe there are better and more efficient ways to have a conversation that isn't one-sided and offers amenable solutions rather than forcing divisive, questionable ones. What this bill does, is remove the ability of THE PUBLIC to have input in the rule making process, something which is VITAL to the system of governance we have agreed to and rely on. Further, it authorizes pharmacists to administer ANY vaccines without benefit or proper documentation of allergies, possible counter-indications, reactions, etc, of the individual. Pharmacists are not doctors and this bill would erode the doctor-patient relationship. Finally, it could set a dangerous precedent whereby ANYTHING the ACIP recommended, could (and would) be mandated for EVERYONE in the state. I simply will not succumb to that, I do not agree to have my right to have input in this process taken from me. That being said, I strongly OPPOSE SB2393 and urge you also to OPPOSE this bill and let its process end with your committee. Mahalo nui for your time, Trinette Furtado

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Troy Abraham	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Forcing someone to be vaccinated against their will is dumb and violates OUR rights.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Vicki Vierra	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: Aloha Senators and Representatives- "Richard Smith, former editor of the British Medical Journal, recently commented about a growing loss of integrity that is undermining the credibility of the scientific literature. Most of what's published in scientific journals nowadays, he said, "is just plain wrong or nonsense." ... "...Richard Horton, Editor-in-Chief of The Lancet, also sounded an alarm that "bad research behavior" has become endemic in the peer-reviewed scientific literature. "In their quest for telling a compelling story," Horton wrote, "scientists too often sculpt their data to fit their preferred theory of the world." These condemnations were spawned by revelations that results published in up to half of the studies upon which current medical practices are based cannot be reproduced..... Fiona Godlee, Editor-in-Chief of the British Medical Journal, testified before Parliament in 2011: "Even on the peer-reviewed side of things, it has been said that the journals are the marketing arm of the pharmaceutical industry. That is not untrue."” <https://www.focusforhealth.org/is-science-dead/> The fact that the editor of the most prestigious medical journals in the world has stated that over half of the touted peer reviewed studies they have published could not be replicated as a result of corruption by corporate money, bad statistics and fraud, calls into question all of the studies used to inform the views of the people in our federal government who make vaccine policy. And yet, there are those in the Hawaii State Legislature now, who would have us all be victims of the pharmaceutical cartel's latest marketing efforts without even so much as a public notice? Who would force the unwilling to be vaccinated, resulting in death and/or permanent injury? No, I don't think so. HB 1946, HB1910 & SB2393 are very bad ideas. Sincerely, Vicki Vierra Keaau, Hawaii

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