

Dear 2022 Primary Candidate for Local School Board or County Commission:

Enclosed is a brief Questionnaire for you to complete for the upcoming August primary election. We plan to inform registered voters in your district of your views on issues related to protecting health choice. This issue is top-of-mind for many voters after the COVID-19 pandemic. Our members, and many Michiganders, believe that **no person should ever be forced to be tested and tracked, wear a mask, or take a vaccine to go to school, work, fly or move freely through society**. With financial support and an army of volunteers, we plan to endorse and promote candidates that will fight for health choice.

The COVID-19 pandemic has led to *unprecedented* governmental intrusion into the choices we make for our own health, and that of our children. We believe that US and Michigan (State and Local) public health officials exceeded their legal powers, with little legislative or judicial oversight, and instituted ineffective and unwanted mandates for masking, testing and contact tracing that were harmful to many Michiganders, including our children. Healthy school children were excluded from school, for weeks at a time, for 'potential' exposures which had a devastating impact on both their education and mental health. Athletes were prevented from competing in regional and state championships if targeted by a local health official as being 'exposed' to a student with COVID-19 - having a devastating impact on their future opportunities and college prospects. Children, who were not sick, were also forced to routinely test to play sports or attend school, a policy that was shown to do little to prevent disease spread and only inconvenience those affected. We believe firmly in the fundamental rights of parents to direct the care and upbringing of their own children, and this is supported in state law (MCL 380.10). School boards and county commissioners, through their oversight of schools and local health departments, allowed for these measures and ignored the palpable concerns from parents and county residents - these parents were ignored and often mocked.

Employers, colleges and some local governments instituted sweeping mandates, which included mandating the COVID-19 vaccine - violating the bedrock ethical principles of informed consent. These experimental vaccines have no long-term safety data, use an entirely new MRNA platform and skipped standard regulatory requirements by conducting Phase 1, 2 and 3 testing in just a matter of months, with limited preclinical testing – a critical process of testing that takes many years to decades to ensure safety.

To date, the CDC/FDA Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System (VAERS) has received **1,261,147** adverse event reports after COVID-19 vaccination, including **27,968** deaths, **51,996** permanent disabilities, **155,633** hospitalizations, and **40,328** cases of myocarditis (www.vaers.hhs.gov). There have been more adverse events reported for the experimental COVID-19 vaccine, then <u>all other vaccines combined for the past 30 years</u>. Even more frightening is the fact that VAERS is a passive reporting system, the FDA estimates only 1-10% of all adverse events are even reported meaning the harm potentially associated with these vaccines is exponentially higher than what is reported.

We also got a taste of a 'checkpoint society' by implementation of 'vaccine passports' that served to make a person's ability to move freely through society dependent on taking an experimental vaccine - a concept ultimately rejected by the public.

Millions of Michiganders say, <u>NEVER AGAIN</u>. Thank you for taking a few minutes to fill out and return our Questionnaire. This year, the endorsement of the Michigan Health Choice Alliance PAC will be an important factor for many registered voters. Please email advocacy@mihealthchoice.org with any questions you may have.

2022 MICHIGAN LOCAL OFFICE CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE (SCHOOL BOARD AND COUNTY COMMISSION)

Please circle the answer which best indicates your position for each question. Your answers are reported to constituents in your district. Thank you for your participation.

1.	I support the rights of individuals and parents, in consultation with their medical providers, to make health decisions that are appropriate for themselves, and their children, such as mask wearing, testing for COVID-19 or taking a vaccination. These measures should always be a choice.					
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation: Y	'es No
2.	support legislative approval/oversight before any unelected bureaucrat, including a local public health official, mposes health mandates on the public, including our public schools, such as mask wearing, testing for COVID-19 or receipt of any vaccination.					
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
3.	• •	oppose mandating the COVID-19 vaccine for children to attend school. I would support a resolution calling cate legislators to oppose any measure that would mandate this vaccine for children.				
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
4.		MCL 333.9215 allows parents to exempt their children from any vaccination mandate for medical, religious, or ther reason. I would support a resolution calling on state legislators to extend this into adulthood.				
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
5.		-		o go to school, work, or move freely for COVID-19 (aka show a vaccine	•	ıty
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
6.	I support the rights of healthy (not sick), symptom free, students to attend school in person without interference or discrimination from local health officials, even when they 'could have' been exposed to a student with COVID-19, strep, or other infections. Children who are not sick deserve an uninterrupted education.					
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
7.	I support the fundamental rights of parents to direct the care and upbringing of their own children, as supported in Michigan law (MCL 380.10). Schools must cooperate with the parents and local health officers shall not implement measures that would impinge on these fundamental parental rights.					
	Agree	Disagree	Undecided	Would sponsor/cosponsor/sig	n legislation:	'es No
Candidate Name/Signature:						
Candidate for Office of: District #: Date:						
Campaign Manager: Campaign Email:						
Are you in need of volunteers? YES NO						

You may write any comments you have on the back of this Questionnaire.

advocacy@mihealthchoice.org. Endorsements to follow soon after.

Please return this signed questionnaire using the enclosed envelope, by fax at 586-501-3191 or by email at