Mandating these vaccines violates a person's bodily autonomy and strips a person of many basic human rights. How is it that one person has the right to require another person to inject something into their body that they either find to be harmful or in violation of their religious beliefs? Informed consent gives each person the right to refuse medical treatment. Once a person is stripped of this right where do we draw the line? At what point is it unethical to force medical intervention on a person? Who accepts the liability if the person does sustain a vaccine injury?

Nevada state law also allows a person to refuse vaccines if it goes against their religious beliefs. Our country was founded on the foundation of religious freedom. At what point do we stop stripping people of their rights "for the greater good"? It's a fine line when we decide that the rights of the state outweigh the rights of the individual. Please do not take theses rights away from the students and staff. Is it in the best interest of the students to take away informed consent and religious freedom? That answer should be no. It sets a dangerous precedent.

This vaccine has 12,000 reports of death in the VAERS system (as I write this, and quickly climbing). The Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System (VAERS) was created by the federal government as post market surveillance of vaccines. This is the ONLY system we have of reporting and monitoring vaccine effects and damages. If you ignore this government sponsored system of post-market monitoring of this experimental product, you are blatantly ignoring an essential step in the scientific process that requires long term observation on how the product is actually affecting humans.

This is blatant negligence and denial of harm to humans. It is unethical and against all human rights codes and medical codes of informed consent and do no harm. During the ACIP (American Counsel on Immunization Practices) meetings, they frequently refer to VAERS, often stating that "VAERS is not showing any problems with this vaccine" and they go ahead and add the vaccine to the schedule. They RELY of VAERS to make their decisions. It is horrifying to think that this body would ignore VAERS numbers at this point, when there are so many thousands of injuries and deaths and these vaccines are so new and experimental. VAERS should not be ignored. Fast-tracking approval and mandating these vaccines with the astronomical numbers in VAERS is horrifying, unethical and unscientific.

These vaccines come with risks, huge risks to some. Whether "approved" or not, these will continue to harm and kill a certain percent of people who take them. This fact requires that each person receive fully informed consent as to the full possibly of harm it may cause in addition to the supposed benefits and the product must not be mandated. In addition, this infection is 98% survivable. If you do a risk benefit analysis, the numbers simply do not make sense: A vaccine that carries the risk seen in the VAERS numbers compared to an infection that carries a less than 1% death rate for people under 50 is NOT something that should be mandated. This should be a choice.

The vaccine DOES NOT prevent a person from getting or spreading Covid. Vaccinated people are still getting Covid and dying. If the vaccine helps prevent severe symptoms, that is great and people should be able to choose that. However, if the vaccine does not prevent transmission, it is a personal protection only and MUST NOT BE MANDATED. If you mandate this risky procedure for healthy and low risk children or anyone for that matter, you are participating in turning this country into a dictatorship that is no longer free. Please do not allow your fear to cloud your scientific ability to reason that this infection is not so severe that we should mandate a vaccine that doesn't work very well and is killing and injuring thousands of people.

I am not anti-vaccine. My student already has health issues. Masks do not protect against virus particles. The box clearly states this.

Thank you,

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