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Subject: Say NO to Vaccine Mandates
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To the Nevada State Board of Health:

As a recently graduated high school student with college in my future, I strongly urge you to reject vaccine mandates for college students. I believe that, beyond childhood, medical decisions should be left in the hands of the people whom they directly affect (and that in the case of childhood, the parents—not the government— should make the decisions). This is only right considering the fact that medical treatments come with inherent risks.

In the specific case of the Covid shots—these have not even received FDA approval. More than that, the number of VAERS death reports for people who had Covid shots are exceedingly high when compared to the VAERS death reports for people who had older vaccines. Some may try to excuse the VAERS reports by saying they don't count as an official connection between the vaccines and the deaths, but such an argument misses the fact that VAERS is an early warning system that is MEANT to be heeded. Otherwise the system is entirely pointless. Furthermore, in Nevada, a vaccinated teen from Vegas had to endure three brain surgeries as a result of her vaccination.

I do not believe it is fair to mandate these shots for students when they could adversely affect the lives of those who take them. Will the pharmaceuticals be liable for adverse affects? Of course not.

Do not force students to take these shot, especially only three days before classes start. These medical decisions are personal choices which should be made by individual and not by governments; for our nation is a nation of individual liberties—not of collectivism and coercion.

Respectfully,
Ms. Ariel Van Cleve

PS— If you do wish to vote for these mandates, I demand that you accept full legal liability for all adverse reactions that students may receive from the Covid vaccines. If you are unwilling to do this, you have no right to push the Covid vaccines on anyone at all!

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