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To The Nevada Board of Health

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It is our understanding that there will be a vote tomorrow on whether students attending a Nevada State College should be required to have the Corona Virus vaccine in order to attend classes. We would like to share our thoughts.

We are Senior Citizens of Nevada. The Pandemic has been a real challenge to many and for, us as we are part of the group most likely to contact the virus. One of us has always received the flu, pneumonia, and other vaccines proven by the FDA to prevent getting the related illnesses. The other of us has several auto-immune issues. The reactions to some vaccines has been worse than the disease. We have had a few friends/family who have taken the vaccine and have either caught Covid and experienced difficulties and in one case death within minutes.

We also have a friend who is a hospital nurse who shared that her whole unit was full of patients, not with Covid but with reactions to the vaccine.

Because of these experiences and the fact that the vaccines do not have FDA approvals yet, we have not gotten the vaccine. We are very careful when in public by wearing masks and taking other precautions.

All of this is to say that to mandate students, most of who are not in the age realm to contract the virus and the fact that many who have taken the vaccine in this age group have experienced complications, to get the vaccine in order to attend classes seems like not only taking freedom of choice away from the students but possibly destroying the future of many young people. For some students there is the possibility of classes online, but not for those taking classes that require "hands-on" training.

For these reasons we are asking you to vote "NO" on mandating students to take the Covid vaccine in order to attend classes until the vaccine has an FDA approval.

Thank you for your time to listen to our opinions and request.

Sincerely,

Larry & Shirley Baldwin

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