

Re: HB 1468 Testimony Human Services Committee
January 25, 2021 2:15 p.m.

Good afternoon, Chairman Weisz and members of the Human Services Committee. I am writing to testify to my support for HB 1468. I have a co-worker whose father was just diagnosed with some severe health problems. She explained to me how the doctor sat down with her and her father to go through his treatment and what the side effects could be. She has 3 children and she explained how this is the first time she has had what she would consider to be actual informed consent. Vaccine injuries can and do happen. VAERS has been a system used for families to report vaccine injuries to and has paid out over \$4 billion to such families thus far. This in itself shows that vaccine injuries do happen and I find it only appropriate for doctors to be honest with their patients so that parents and or adults can make the best decisions for them or themselves. I do not believe there should be any question about offering informed consent. Please vote yes on HB 1468.

Sincerely,

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