OPPOSE Vaccine **Passport** Bills and **Threats** to Children Two Bills, both sponsore d by Senator Rosapep pe should be withdraw

n or defeated! Oppose SB 839 and SB 840 SB 839-The bill proposes using mobile technolo gy to implemen t an immuniza tion record

"service" called MylR. **This** vaccine passport would display COVID 19 vaccinati on status allegedly for admissio n to certain venues. lt would

furthermo re use tax payer money to develop and promote this outrageo us and unnecess ary "service". https:// mgaleg.m aryland.g ov/ mgawebs

ite/ Legislatio n/Details/ sb0839 Why we oppose this bill: 1.One's medical informati on is one's own business and should

not be used to discrimin ate and segregat e citizens based on vaccine status. 2. No. business should be discrimin ating who can or cannot use their service

based on COVID or other vaccinati on status especially vaccines that are still only Emergen cy Use **Approved** 3.The CDC itself has said that the

vaccinate d can both get and spread COVID virus. Many unvaccin ated people have natural immunity which is cross protective , enduring

and a benefit to the public. 4.One's medical informati on should be protected informati on but we have seen repeatedl y that "protecte

informati on can be hacked. 5.Vaccine passports have been withdraw n across the globe. They are unnecess ary and represent a violation of personal

freedom, privacy and health choice. 6.Public funding would be used to develop and market an unecessa rv program which lays the foundatio

n for chilling governm ent tracking, surveillan ce, divisivene ss and control. SB 840-This bill was originally passed last year as

Emergen cy Use **Authoriza** tion that was supposed to expire at the end of this year. This bill extends to 2024 emergen cy use authoriza tions that are no

longer required! **Furtherm** ore it expands the authority and reach of administr ators regarding testing, contact tracing and protocols in

multiple settings to "control" COVID 19, a virus that no longer exists! The bill is allegedly to be able to reopen schools, colleges and workplac es which

are already open. But there are even more egregious things in this sweeping bill which talks about the vaccine passport structure mentione

d in **SB839** as though it were already law. The bill talks about incentivizi ng vaccine uptake of **ANY CDC** recomme nded vaccine now or in the

future. How can we possibly know if that is a good idea when we don't know what the risks and benefits might be? And every parent should be

outraged that the bill wants to allow a PHARMA CIST (or his delegate d assistant) to have the authority to ORDER and **ADMINIS** TER a vaccine

to a child 3 or older and does not even require parental informed consent! There is more in this egregious bill that is way too broad and includes

everythin g from qualificati ons for an apprentic e geriatric nurse assistant to rates for an Urgent Care Center. What have these things got to do

with each other? https:// mgaleg.m aryland.g ov/ mgawebs ite/ Legislatio n/Details/ sb0840 Why we oppose this bill: 1. We oppose

any vaccine passport as our medical informati on should be private and not used to divide and segregat e the populatio n into vaxxed and

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assistant s) are not doctors. They should not have the authority to ORDER and vaccinate our children even more so without parental or

guardian informed consent. 4. This bill was originally intended to expire by the end of 2022 and it should expire. It was an emergen cy use bill intended for a

pandemic which has passed. The authoriza tions given in the original bill should expire as intended. 5. The bill is a mishmas h of all

kinds of unrelated things from listing the qualificati ons for certain practictio ners to rates for an urgent care center to tracking, testing and funding

for a virus that no longer exists. Each of these things should be considere d separatel y with thoughtfu I debate, not thrown together in a bill

that is too far reaching.