

Written Testimony for HB 1161: Human Papillomavirus Vaccine - Information and Informed Consent (Christina's Law)

Dear Health & Government Operations Chair Pena-Melnyk, Vice Chair Cullison and all other esteemed Committee Members:

I implore each and everyone of you to vote "Favorable" in support of "Christina's Law"!!

The vaccine's listed adverse side effects include death, pulmonary embolism, pancreatitis, vomiting, extreme fatigue, autoimmune disorders, bronchospasm, hives, rash, anaphylactic reaction, encephalomyelitis, Guillain-Barre Syndrome, difficulty breathing, heart arrhythmia, and motor neuron disease, among others, as listed in the bill itself. With such horrendous possible adverse side effects, why would any legislative body NOT want information given to the possible recipient, as well as a signed written consent form. This makes no logical or medical sense whatsoever.

I have a neighbor whose daughter got the Gardasil HPV vaccine, and within less than 6 months, that young lady developed diabetes, with absolutely no diabetes in her family history whatsoever. NOW she has to give herself daily insulin shots multiple times per day!! That shot changed her WHOLE life, and NOT for the better!!

Please vote "Favorable" in support of this bill, so that other parents and recipients that are of legal age can be more fully informed of the possible risks and adverse side effects BEFORE they receive this possibly life-altering vaccine.

Thank you for your time and attention!!

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A very concerned mother and Maryland resident