

HB1161- Support

Public Health – Human Papillomavirus Vaccine – Information and Informed Consent (Christina’s Law)

I am writing to you today to ask for a favorable report for HB1161. I first met Christina’s mother when learning about medical choice. Emily is a passionate woman who lost her daughter because of the HPV vaccine. Emily has been working tirelessly to ensure Maryland residents know of the risks associated with the HPV vaccine.

RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH HPV VACCINES INCLUDE:

1. DEATH;
2. SWOLLEN GLANDS;
3. PULMONARY EMBOLISM;
4. NAUSEA;
5. PANCREATITIS;
6. VOMITING;
7. EXTREME FATIGUE;
8. DIZZINESS;
9. AUTOIMMUNE DISORDERS;
10. BRONCHOSPASM;
11. HIVES;
12. RASH;
13. ANAPHYLACTIC REACTION;
14. JOINT AND MUSCLE PAIN AND WEAKNESS;
15. ENCEPHALOMYELITIS;
16. HEADACHE;
17. GUILLAIN–BARRE SYNDROME;
18. DIFFICULTY BREATHING;
19. HEART ARRHYTHMIA;
20. MOTOR NEURON DISEASE;

21. PARALYSIS;
22. PREMATURE OVARIAN FAILURE;
23. SEIZURES;
24. SYNCOPE;
25. TRANSVERSE MYELITIS;
26. CELLULITIS; AND
27. IDIOPATHIC THROMBOCYTOPENIA

While I cannot imagine losing a child for a decision that at the time you believe is correct, I am in awe of Emily's persistence in making people aware of the potential dangers of this vaccine. Please make Christina's life worth more than the early loss she and her family suffered and vote favorably for HB1161.

Thank you,

Laura Hartman