

HEALTH RIGHTS

ARE HUMAN RIGHTS

MN law requires submitting vaccine records or a medical or conscientious exemption for EVERY child upon enrollment in daycare, public, charter, private or homeschool.

Many cultures & faiths have convictions regarding aspects of some or all vaccinations. Leaving no religious accommodation is a direct violation of both federal and Minnesota laws on religious discrimination and access to public education.

EVEN ONE

INDIVIDUALIZED CARE

Every person is different with unique needs. With over 40 vaccine doses by Kindergarten alone, families who wish to delay or decline even ONE need the ability to file an exemption.

NO OPTIONS

DAYCARE, PUBLIC, CHARTER, PRIVATE & HOMESCHOOL

Removing conscientious exemptions leaves NO options for families to personalize their healthcare decisions based on their family's unique needs.

In 80% of Minnesota families, all parents in the home work. Childcare access is essential. No one should be forced to choose between their culture or faith & ability to provide for their family.

By school age, families would have to choose between their culture or faith & leaving the state entirely. No other state leaves ZERO choice.

FAST FACTS DID YOU KNOW THAT.....

- Only 2.11% 2.76% of children in childcare settings utilized a conscientious exemption in 2020-2021?
 www.health.state.mn.us/people/immunize/stats/childcare/ccnme.csv
- Only 2.01% of Kindergarten students in public school settings utilized a conscientious exemption in 2020-2021? www.health.state.mn.us/people/immunize/stats/school/exemptkind.csv
- The entire CDC Childhood Schedule of recommended vaccines consists 70+ vaccines? Compare historical schedules here: www.mnrights.org/schedule
- They are anticipating that an annual Covid vaccine will be added to the recommendations, just like the annual flu vaccine? www.cnbc.com/2023/01/23/covid-fda-says-most-people-probably-only-needshot-moving-forward.html
- There are 609 vaccines in various stages of development?
 www.biopharmadive.com/spotlight-vaccine-development-decisions/52615
- The Minnesota Department of Health can add vaccines to the school schedule without legislation or any kind of vote using Rule Making Authority?
 www.health.state.mn.us/people/immunize/immrule/rulebasics.html
- Administrative Rule 9502 states that "licensed childcare providers CANNOT deny admissions on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, religion, or sex". www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/?id=9502.0405
- The Minnesota Human Rights Act prohibits schools from discriminating based on race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, sexual orientation, or disability, or to fail to ensure physical and program access for disabled persons.
 www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/cite/363A.13

Families may have any number of cultural or religious convictions that lead them to opt out of one or more vaccines and utilize a conscientious exemption.

As conscientious exemptions embody both religious beliefs and reasons of personal conviction, it is unlawful to deny entry based on exemption status.

Health Rights are Human Rights.