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To: Members of the Louisiana Legislature Health and Welfare Committees Re: Louisiana Physician and Clinical Scientist Calls for Halt of mRNA COVID-19 Vaccination

Louisiana physician and clinical scientist, Dr. Joseph Fraiman, adds his name to a growing list of medical professionals calling for mRNA covid vaccines to be withdrawn from the market. He shared this statement in a video¹ on January 9, 2023:

Hello, my name is Dr. Joseph Fraiman. I'm an emergency physician based in Louisiana. In addition, I am a clinical scientist. I was the lead author of a peer reviewed study that reanalyzed the original Pfizer and Moderna clinical trials for the messenger RNA COVID-19 vaccines.² We found the vaccine increased serious adverse events at a rate of one in 800.

At the time of publication, my coauthors and I did not believe our single study warranted the withdrawal of the messenger RNA vaccines from the market. However, since its publication, multiple new pieces of evidence have come to light and this has caused me to reevaluate my position.

An article published in the BMJ³ regarding the FDA's own observational surveillance data⁴, found the messenger RNAs were associated with multiple of the exact same serious adverse events identified in our original study. But the FDA [has] failed to inform the public of these findings.

In addition, now we have multiple autopsy studies that find essentially conclusive evidence that the vaccines are inducing sudden cardiac deaths, yet the rate of these vaccine induced deaths remains unknown.^{5,6,7,8} While many nations that have been using the messenger RNA vaccines have experienced an increase in excess mortality, more people dying than should be expected from past years. And this correlates in time with the initial vaccine rollout and then with the subsequent booster campaigns.⁹

¹ rumble.com/v24k8be-its-time-to-withdraw-the-mrna-vaccines.html

² pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36055877/

³ bmj.com/content/379/bmj.o2527

⁴ bestinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/C-19-Vaccine-Safety-AMI-PE-DIC-ITP-Protocol-2021.pdf

⁵ link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s00414-021-02706-9

⁶ mdpi.com/2077-0383/10/24/5876

⁷ meridian.allenpress.com/aplm/article/146/8/925/477788/Autopsy-Histopathologic-Cardiac-Findings-in-2

⁸ link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s00392-022-02129-5

⁹ wherearethenumbers.substack.com/p/the-devils-advocate-an-exploratory

Nations with higher messenger RNA vaccine uptake have correlations with higher rates of excess mortality. While the cause of this excess mortality is not known, researchers analyzing this data are unable to identify any other reasonable cause of the excess death other than the vaccines. Given now the Omicron variant is less virulent, and is able to evade much of the protection offered by the vaccines, this creates a situation where the benefits of the vaccine have been dramatically reduced for hospitalization and death. Together, this information calls into question if the vaccines' benefits are outweighing the harm.

I believe, given the information, the messenger RNA vaccines need to be withdrawn from the market until new randomized controlled trials can clearly demonstrate the benefits of the vaccine outweigh the serious harm we now know the vaccines are causing.

We agree with Dr. Fraiman. The mRNA COVID-19 vaccines should be withdrawn from the market.

In addition to the evidence of negligence on the part of the FDA provided by Dr. Fraiman, information revealed via FOIA indicates there are hundreds of vaccine adverse event safety signals being ignored by the CDC in the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) database. From the Epoch Times article entitled **EXCLUSIVE: CDC Finds Hundreds of** Safety Signals for Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 Vaccines :

The results obtained by The Epoch Times show that there are hundreds of adverse events (AEs) that meet the definition [of a signal], including serious conditions such as blood clotting in the lungs, intermenstrual bleeding, a lack of oxygen to the heart, and even <u>death</u>.

One of the identified safety signals in the FOIA'd data is **death**. A general search of VAERS for Louisiana indicates there are 77 *reported* deaths following COVID-19 or COVID-19 Bivalent vaccination. **While reports to VAERS do not infer causality, VAERS IS a safety signaling system.** Has there been any follow-up on the reported deaths by the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH)?

Also concerning, data from a recently published German study¹⁰ indicates that Pfizer mRNA covid vaccines cause "the immune system to misfire, thereby creating an endless feedback loop of viral immune escape, perpetuating the pandemic in the macro, and creating immune suppression for the individuals who received them.¹¹"

Further, two troubling studies^{12,13} indicate that repeated mRNA vaccination increases the likelihood of covid infection. Journalist Alex Berenson summarizes:

People who have received mRNA Covid vaccines are at least twice as likely to be infected with the coronavirus as unvaccinated people, according to two new papers from researchers in Indiana and Ohio.

Worse, <u>the newer</u> of the two studies, which covered Omicron this fall, found risk actually rises with the number of shots.¹⁴

Last summer, data on the LDH covid dashboard indicated that more vaccinated people than unvaccinated people were dying from covid.¹⁵ LDH completely removed that information from their covid dashboard. We submitted a public records request

¹⁰ www.science.org/doi/10.1126/sciimmunol.ade2798

¹¹ conservativereview.com/horowitz-possibly-the-most-important-study-on-covid-shots-might-explain-why-covid-never-seems-to-end-2659039644.html

¹² medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2022.12.17.22283625v1.full.pdf

¹³ ajph.aphapublications.org/doi/10.2105/AJPH.2022.307112

¹⁴ open.substack.com/pub/alexberenson/p/urgent-two-new-studies-show-mrna?r=patcp&utm_campaign=post&utm_medium=web

¹⁵ https://twitter.com/TrueScience6/status/1557786023022759936?s=20&t=8zGDBtS37zGRLFxQb833-g

in November 2022 asking for the number of individuals who died from covid but who were also vaccinated for covid. LDH had no records responsive to our request.

Finally, information being disclosed as a result of the Missouri/Louisiana v Biden lawsuit, initiated by former Missouri Attorney General Eric Schmitt and Attorney General Jeff Landry, indicates that the citizens of Louisiana were deprived of informed consent as the federal government actively and intentionally coerced big tech companies to suppressed accurate information regarding COVID-19 vaccines.¹⁶ It is incredibly disturbing to consider that patients were deprived of the vital information needed to perform an accurate risk benefit analysis of the virus and the vaccine.

When the covid vaccines were made available to the public in early 2021, significant gaps in data existed including long term safety and efficacy data. It is time to acknowledge the scientists who are sounding the alarm. The data indicates there is a need to get a bad medical product off the market.

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¹⁶ agjefflandry.com/Article/13106