

COVID-19 VACCINE FOR KIDS? ALL RISK, NO REWARD



ADVERSE EFFECTS

Vaccines are not tested to determine if they cause cancer,¹ even though they contain known carcinogens.²

We cannot know the long-term effects of COVID-19 vaccines on children, because they have not been in widespread use for years.

Healthy males aged 12-17 have an increased risk of developing myocarditis after COVID-19 vaccination.³ One study found that myocarditis risk for the same age group was higher than risk of hospitalization for COVID-19 infection.⁴

MINIMAL RISK FROM COVID

Children have negligible risk from COVID-19 with a survival rate of over 99.998% in the U.S.⁵

NO HERD IMMUNITY

Vaccinated people can still get and transmit the virus that causes COVID.⁶ This makes it impossible to attain so-called "herd immunity" through vaccination, even with high vaccination rates.

If the COVID-19 vaccine is added to the list of "required" vaccines for school attendance, PA parents may utilize medical and religious/philosophical exemptions for K-12 students.

These exemptions are protected by PA law.

1 https://www.vaccinesafety.edu/package_inserts.htm (see: section 13.1 on package inserts for childhood vaccinations)

2 <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/b/excipient-table-2.pdf>

3 <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/meetings/downloads/slides-2021-11-2-3/04-COVID-Oster-508.pdf> (pg. 3)

4 <https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.08.30.21262866v1>

5 <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#demographics> (see: Cases by Age Group; Deaths by Age Group)

6 <https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.09.28.21264262v2>

