

ACTION REQUIRED:

STOP PERMANENT MASK MANDATE REGULATION!!!!

March 15th at 9am

One Capitol Hill (Conference rooms A, B &C), Providence, RI 02908

RIDOH has proposed a permanent [regulation for future mask mandates](#). It would give the Rhode Island **Department of Health the power to impose masks on our children for ANY infectious disease (RSV, flu, chicken pox.)!** This is the **ONLY** proposed regulation in the entire country and will afford us *ONE OPPORTUNITY* to stamp it out.

HOW TO STOP THE MASK MANDATE REGULATION:

TESTIFY AGAINST IT. This is the **ONLY** proposed regulation in the entire country and the hearing will afford us **ONE OPPORTUNITY** to stamp it out. If we don't oppose in large numbers, RIDOH *WILL* approve this regulation & give itself the necessary authority to force masks on our children again. We need to create a record of our opposition. If we don't show up in *LARGE NUMBERS*, RIDOH *WILL* force a mask mandate regulation on our children.

Most importantly:

- ATTEND THE HEARING & TESTIFY IN OPPOSITION to the regulation** – Please plan to speak for 1-2 minutes maximum. Bring friends and family, even those who don't testify. **FILL THE ROOM.** [RSVP HERE](#).
- Submit written testimony in opposition to the regulation by emailing Zachary.garceau@health.ri.gov. CC consent4RI@hotmail.com** to ensure that we retain records of submissions. Provide written testimony (It can be brief) even if you're testifying in person. We need **BOTH**.
- Call upon friends, fellow parents, family, co-workers, neighbors and absolutely anyone who can attend.** Help to **FLOOD** RIDOH with compelling testimony, **both in person and via written records**. We took masks off of our children in February of 2022 because *four hundred* of us testified against mandates. We need to do the same now.

Every one of us must do our part this March if we're going to fight off mask mandates. We can either fight for our children now or drop this battle on them.

RESOURCES:

- [PROPOSED MASK MANDATE REGULATION](#)
- [TESTIFYING](#): tips and information
- [LOGISTICS](#) for attending the [hearing](#)
- [170 mask studies](#) of mask efficacy and safety
- [Cochrane study](#) RIDOH esteemed [systematic review as evidence](#) in 2019. What changed?
- [FL grand jury report on mandates](#) [Explanation of the report](#)

RIDOH originally proposed a regulation to give itself power to impose mandates *WITHOUT SCIENCE!*

(Attorney Greg Piccirilli explains the situation [HERE](#). [Original Proposal Submission](#) by RIDOH).