

Letter: What will happen now?

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The world spent two years in a pandemic and forced to wear masks, especially in any medical facilities. What do you think that would do to a human body? Well, for starters it would weaken the immune system.

The mask would block the pathogens the human body once recognized, therefore making the immune system weak to that pathogen once again. When the human body is fighting an infection, the body temperature will rise. This phase would be the fever phase. When the human body is at a fever moment, the body can share this infection to other human bodies. So, safe distance from one human body to another to contain such an infection his highly considered.

When did our nation put a price on our children's head? Why did I just hear about a mother and father being booked at the county jail for their child having too many missed days of school? Why should I, as a parent, sacrifice my child's health for an educator's paycheck?

I do not control our governor. I do not make his decisions on cutbacks. So why are the parents being penalized for keeping their children safe? Better yet, parents are being penalized for keeping their children home, so they do not spread the infection to other children and the educators. When did the education system loose common sense?

I am a mother of four. I am also a full-time medical professional that worked through the pandemic. I went into COVID rooms. I held the hands of the dying when their families could not come into the room, but only

watch through the outside window while their loved one takes their last breath. Then coming home, stripping my clothes off in the backyard and taking a shower to keep my family safe.

I took the COVID vaccine so I did not lose my job. Being forced to wear a mask, knowing what it was going to do to my body. My children and I went from not being sick at all for over a year when it was mandated to wear masks, to now taking the masks off and now constantly sick. Now as of 04/03/2023, medical facilities are no longer forced to wear mask. What do you think will happen now?

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