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Letter: A critical look at vaccinations

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The recent measles ‘outbreak’ produced another overreaction. My 2016 letter —<https://tinyurl.com/yyx3kegb> — still applies. It critiques efforts to turn the latest minor nonfatal measles breakout into a freak-out requiring knee-jerk action making vaccine exemptions more demeaning and unnecessarily restricted. It's inaccurate, prejudiced, and anti-scientific! The forcing of highly questionable medical practices down parents' and kids' throats is fundamentally dangerous. We need checks and balances on the highly corrupt vaccine industry and medical profession.

To safeguard kids’ lives, stop vaccinating them with the dubious measles combination vaccine that’s killed 108 kids since 2005 (CDC, VAERS) while no child died from measles. Proponents of measles vaccines don’t want to end 108 kids’ lives to save 0, do you? That has actually happened.

Harris Coulter, medical historian and author of “Vaccinations, Social Violence, and Criminality,” states kids, multiply vaccinated starting in the mid-20th century, constitute a "post-encephalitic generation” where increased brain inflammation due to vaccination dramatically swelled the ranks of kids with developmental delays, learning disorders, "weak intellect," behavioral problems, and falling SAT scores — hallmarks of this era, including baby boomers.

Illogically, vaccinations have increased, not decreased since then.

Coulter exhaustively recounts case histories of behaviorally challenged kids coming from this misconceived, overapplied vaccination craze, beginning in the mid-1930s with the pertussis vaccine which produced autism's rise in the 1940s.

An Oregon State University flu researcher recently explained natural immunity gained before flu shots is superior immunity, that vaccinating kids cheats them of the opportunity to develop lifelong natural immunity!

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