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Your Natural and Legal Rights to Refuse Medical Treatment

Introduction

This “public health” emergency is not about any virus. It’s about control. Canadians are so quick to tow the line, to be such good friends and neighbours to everyone. We WILL give you the shirt off our backs because that is our nature. **But at what personal cost?**

We don’t know where you are on the scale of the whole narrative. No matter if you are pro-vaccination or against these measures or somewhere in between, **to have a vaccination forced on you is not only illegal, it is unconstitutional, discriminatory and unenforceable.**

Can anyone, including your employer force you to put anything into your body that you do not want? Think about this. Your answer should be a resounding NO. In case there is any confusion, the answer IS no.

So, we rise to the occasion to give you all of the legal information you need to empower you to know your rights – **you have legal rights to refuse any medical treatment or procedure.** You need to say **I DO NOT CONSENT.**



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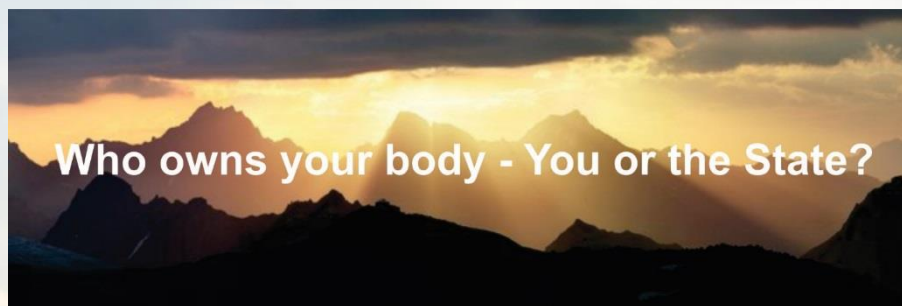
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1. God-given Rights versus Legal Rights

We are now at the time where everyone needs to understand the difference between our God-given rights (your natural rights) and legal rights to decline medical treatment/procedure.

- **God-given rights are yours from birth – *freedom is your birthright – you do not need anyone’s permission***
- **Legal rights are supposed to PROTECT your God-given rights**



What about the consequences for taking this stand?

The point of taking a stand is to **PROVOKE A RESPONSE**, and to **continue to provoke until they respond or change the law/rules/requirements**

The response may be discipline or termination from **employment**

- find an employment lawyer and sue for wrongful dismissal

The response may be **denial of services from public spaces**

- submit a complaint to the human rights tribunal for discrimination
- file a small claims court or civil lawsuit for damages

The response may be **societal** – your friends, family or neighbours may shun you



- pray for their ignorance and forgive them for not being in agreement with you taking a stand for medical freedom
- find other like-minded individuals in your community and make new friendships, connections for support

Employment issues with mandatory “vaccination”

Your employer cannot force you to undergo any medical treatment, such as mandatory vaccination.

If your employer is forcing mandatory vaccination, and you feel you have no choice but to submit to this because they have stated you will be disciplined or will lose your job, and you have received one or more injections, this could be **assault under section 265 of the *Criminal Code of Canada*** [see **4. Without Consent it is Assault**] or assault as an intentional tort (Intentional torts are wrongful acts done on purpose. The person does not need to actually mean harm, but the other person ends up hurt anyway, such as in a prank. Or, the person can definitely mean harm, such as domestic violence cases.)

- find a criminal law lawyer for assault under section 265 of the *Criminal Code of Canada* or intentional tort, if this situation applies to you

If you plan to submit to these injections based on duress

- **advise your employer in writing** that YOU DO NOT CONSENT to this medical treatment and that **you are only submitting to this under extreme duress** by force of fear, intimidation, and full force of exercise of authority of threats of discipline and/or job loss
- please **obtain an immediate complete physical prior to getting this injection**; this will be evidence of your medical health before the injection; if there are any injuries resulting from the injection, this will be your proof to help you claim for any damages

If you have already submitted to these injections and did so only under duress

- **advise your employer in writing** that you only consented to this(these) injections **under extreme duress** by force of fear, intimidation, and full force of exercise of authority of threats of discipline and/or job loss

Mandatory vaccination in all employment contexts is illegal, unconstitutional, discriminatory and unenforceable.

If you do not consent to take the covid-19 vaccine

- do not quit your job or resign
- if you do, it will make it impossible to prove wrongful dismissal
- advise your employer in writing of your legal rights to decline medical treatment

If you do not consent to take the covid-19 vaccine and you are disciplined or your employment is terminated

- find an employment lawyer and seek damages for abuse of authority and/or wrongful dismissal/violation of your contract
- if you cannot afford a lawyer, self-represent or to go legal aid



If you sign an employment contract whereby you agree to be vaccinated with the covid vaccine as a condition of employment

- you will not be able to hold your employer liable for any injuries related to receiving this “vaccine”

Societal issues with mandatory “vaccination”

No one can force you to undergo any medical treatment, such as mandatory vaccination unless you have been deemed incapable of making these important decisions for yourself. In those cases, you will have a substitute decision maker for you.

It is up to the individual whether they want to get the covid-19 vaccination or not. But that choice must be free for the individual. **In law, that choice must be a free one.**

2. COVID-19 Measures that are Medical Treatments

covid-19 vaccines
PCR testing
antigen test
antibody test
masking
temperature taking
hand sanitizers

Definition of Medical Treatment

- Anything that affects your medical health, whether physically or psychologically

3. You need to give “INFORMED” CONSENT before undergoing any Medical Treatment or Procedure

Informed consent means that the person who will administer the medical treatment or procedure, needs to INFORM you of all the benefits and risks associated with the medical treatment or procedure as well as all alternative treatments before you decide if you will consent or not.

You still retain the right to REFUSE to consent, even after you have been properly informed as described above. This is MEDICAL FREEDOM.

Elements of consent - your expressed, informed and explicit consent must:

- relate to the treatment
- be INFORMED [see **3. You need to give “INFORMED” CONSENT before...**]



- be given voluntarily orally and/or in writing
- NOT be obtained through misrepresentation, force, threat, coercion or fraud by the person or organization seeking your consent

4. Without Consent it is Assault

In Canadian law, a patient must CONSENT to any medical treatment otherwise it's a form of battery, otherwise known as an assault. It is important to note that there is assault as an intentional tort as well as assault under the Criminal Code of Canada. An assault is any application of force on an individual without their consent. Medical doctors can be charged with assault and battery if the courts determine that informed consent, with all of the elements above, was not provided by the patient.

What is Consent under Criminal Law?

The *Criminal Code of Canada* (the *Code*) defines a series of conditions under which the law will deem an absence of consent in cases of assault, notwithstanding, the complainant's ostensible consent or participation. As stipulated in s.265(3), these include submission by reason of force, fear, threats, fraud or the exercise of authority, and codify the longstanding common law rule that consent given under fear or duress is ineffective - consent given under fear or duress is NOT consent.

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5. Your Patient Rights by province and territory – Consent to Treatment

Alberta	Alberta Health Services – Consent to Treatment/Procedures https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/info/page3064.aspx
	College of Physicians and Surgeons Alberta - Informed Consent – https://cpsa.ca/physicians/standards-of-practice/informed-consent/
British Columbia	Health Care Consent Act https://www.bclaws.gov.bc.ca/civix/document/id/consol27/consol27/00_96181_01



	College of Physicians and Surgeons British Columbia – Consent https://www.cpsbc.ca/files/pdf/NHMSFAP-AS-Consent.pdf
Manitoba	The Public Health Act – Immunization, section 57 Consent https://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/statutes/ccsm/p210e.php#57
New Brunswick	College of Physicians and Surgeons New Brunswick – Informed Consent https://cpsnb.org/en/medical-act-regulations-and-guidelines/guidelines/452-towards-informed-consent
Newfoundland & Labrador	Advance Health Care Directives and the Appointment of Substitute Health Care Decision Makers - Consent https://www.assembly.nl.ca/legislation/sr/annualstatutes/1995/A04-1.c95.htm
Northwest Territories	Health Information Act - Consent https://www.justice.gov.nt.ca/en/files/legislation/health-information/health-information.a.pdf
Nova Scotia	College of Physicians and Surgeons Nova Scotia –Informed Consent https://cpsns.ns.ca/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/Informed-Patient-Consent-to-Treatment.pdf
Nunavut	Public Health Act https://www.nunavutlegislation.ca/en/consolidated-law/public-health-act-consolidation
Ontario	Health Care Consent Act https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/96h02
	Long-term Care Act https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/94l26
	Mental Health Act https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/90m07
Prince Edward Island	Consent to Treatment and Health Care Directives Act https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/legislation/consent-treatment-and-health-care-directives-act
Québec	Act respecting health services and social services http://legisquebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/showdoc/cs/s-4.2
Saskatchewan	College of Physicians and Surgeons Saskatchewan – Informed Consent under <i>The Health Care Directives and Substitute Health Care Decision Makers Act</i> https://www.cps.sk.ca/imis/Documents/Legislation/Policies/GUIDELINE%20-%20Informed%20Consent.pdf
Yukon	Care Consent Act https://laws.yukon.ca/cms/images/LEGISLATION/PRINCIPAL/2003/2003-023B/2003-023B.pdf

6. Legal Rights to Refuse Medical Treatment

- Provincial/territorial Health Care Consent Acts [see 5. Your Patient Rights by province and territory – Consent to Treatment]
- [*Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms*](#)
 - section 2 (a) freedom of conscience and religion
 - section 7 - everyone has the right to life, liberty, and security of the person and the right not to be deprived thereof except in accordance with the principles of fundamental justice.



- you have the [Right to Liberty](#) – a protection of personal autonomy involving “inherently private choices” – which includes the **RIGHT TO REFUSE MEDICAL TREATMENT**
 - section 15 – (1) every individual is equal before and under the law and has the right to the equal protection and equal benefit of the law without discrimination and, in particular, without discrimination based on race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, sex, age or mental or physical disability
 - your medical information is protected under this right
- [Canadian Human Rights Act](#) – the purpose of this Act is that all individuals should have an opportunity equal with other individuals to make for themselves the lives they are able and wish to have ... without being hindered or prevented from doing so by discriminatory practices
 - employees could refuse to be vaccinated on a protected ground for discrimination under the Act, and the employer has a duty to accommodate the employee to the point of “undue hardship”
- [Canadian Bill of Rights 1960](#) - you have the right to decide what medical treatment you accept under section 1 (a) and (b)
 - Section 1(a) the right of the individual to life, liberty, security of the person and enjoyment of property, and the right not to be deprived thereof except by due process of law;
 - Section 1(b) the right of the individual to equality before the law and the protection of the law;

7. Medical Censorship in Canada

The Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons have effectively removed the “informed” portion of “informed consent” by tying doctor’s hands from speaking out contrary to public health measures. This is known as a gag order.

On April 30, 2021, Ontario’s physician licensing body, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO), issued a statement forbidding physicians from questioning or debating any or all of the official measures imposed in response to COVID-19.

The CPSO then went on to threaten physicians with punishment – investigations and disciplinary action.

We regard this recent statement of the CPSO to be unethical, anti-science and deeply disturbing.



As physicians, our primary duty of care is not to the CPSO or any other authority, but to our patients.

Thousands of doctors in Canada and around the world responded to this unethical statement of orders by creating a DECLARATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE.

Please read this Declaration of non-compliance <https://canadianphysicians.org/>

- **use this in your defence to refuse medical treatment**
- you have a legal right to be “informed” of the risks associated with any medical treatment; you need to be “informed” first, before you give your “consent”

8. Your Medical Health is Protected by Privacy Laws

Your privacy is protected under the [Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act, 2000](#) (PIPEDA) applies federally.

Please refer to this link to find all of your provincial/territorial privacy laws: <https://www.priv.gc.ca/en/about-the-opc/what-we-do/provincial-and-territorial-collaboration/provincial-and-territorial-privacy-laws-and-oversight/>

9. Stand in Your Power

KNOW your LEGAL RIGHTS and STAND UP for them. **The only approval you ever need is your own – that’s the ultimate truth!** Give yourself YOUR APPROVAL to stand up and say no.



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We believe that knowledge is *potential power*. But knowledge has no power without action. And so, our purpose has been fulfilled by giving you this knowledge... the rest is up to you.

So, now that you have this knowledge, what are you going to do with it?



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