

Legislative Solution #1

Parents are the Primary and Final Authority in All Matters

and in all decisions concerning their children. All other entities are subordinate - modify TX Constitution.

Parent and community volunteers across Texas are continuing to review bills. We will continue to add bills and commentary, as needed.

HERO BILLS

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Bill	Author	Caption	Position	Comment

WAITING ON HERO BILLS

COURAGE BILLS

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SB 400/	Hall/Kolkhorst/.	Relating to requiring parental consent for	For	Ensures that parents, not the state, are empowered
SB 595/	Swanson	psychological or psychiatric examination, testing,		to give or withhold consent for psychological
HB 1149		or treatment conducted by a school district		examinations, testing, and treatment, including
		employee.		intrusive surveys.

Priority Bills

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SB 163/ SB 391/ HB 478		Relating to parental approval for a student's participation in human sexuality instruction in public schools.	For	Removing the expiration for parental opt-in.	
<u>SB 287</u>	Huffman	Relating to the prosecution of the offense of terroristic threat.	Comment	The unintended consequence of TEXAS SENATE BILL 287 would be that it could be used by school districts to further intimidate and silence parents that disagree with them. While we are positive the authors of this bill intend to improve safety at schools with this language, the reality is, it will be interpreted and put into practice as a way to go after smart and caring parents who are speaking out.	
SB 304	Hall	Relating to prohibited immunization status discrimination and vaccine mandates; authorizing administrative penalties.	For	Protects parental authority by prohibiting schools from requiring any immunization or vaccine as a condition of admission to or attendance at an elementary or secondary school.	
SB 308	Hall	Relating to prohibited vaccination status discrimination and requirements for COVID-19 vaccines; authorizing administrative penalties.	For	Protects parental authority by prohibiting schools from discriminating against students based on Covid-19 vaccination status.	
SB 366/ HB 1176	_ Johnson/Ramos	Relating to the capacity of minors to consent to contraception-related examination or medical treatment.	Against		
SB 562/ HB 473	_ Sparks/Hull	Relating to parental rights regarding a threat assessment of a student conducted by a public school's threat assessment and safe and supportive school team.	For	Protects parent's rights by enabling them to be informed of and participate in the school threat assessment process for their child. Requires the threat assessment team to submit a copy of findings and conclusions to parents. Potential Courage Bill if provisions for parental control of the process are included.	
SB 641	Johnson	Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of public school students.	Against		
SB 981	Paxton	Relating to a handbook on parental rights in education and training requirements on parental rights in education for a member of the board of trustees of a school district.	For	This is the beginning of a Parents Right to Know Handbook. It should be completed by the AG instead of the TEA.	
SB 1177	Hall	Relating to required immunizations for children and primary or secondary school students.	For		

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HB 682	Collier	Relating to the capacity of certain minors to consent to maternal health care.	Against	
<u>HB 777</u>	Vasut	Relating to prohibiting face covering mandates for public school students, prohibiting public schools from requiring students to provide documentation regarding certain vaccinations, and allowing public schools to screen students regarding certain infections.		
<u>HB 807</u>	Harrison	Relating to immunization requirements.	For	Removes power of Health Services, says cannot compel someone to take vaccine, and they cannot kick you out of public school for no vaccine.; change shall to may (we should not force any medical procedure on anyone)
HB 1060	Guerra	Relating to the implementation of telehealth services programs at certain public primary and secondary schools and the appointment of a telehealth services program task force to conduct a study and issue a report concerning the implementation of those programs.	Against	Providing telehealth services at school, even when they are free, does not ensure sufficient parental involvement and distracts from schools' primary purpose.
HB 1155	Patterson	Relating to parental rights in public education and prohibiting instruction regarding sexual orientation or gender identity for certain public school students.		Consent for counseling needs to be grades K-12 and Homosexual & Gender Identity prohibition need to be grades K-12 as well. It is the responsibility of the parent to protect their child for their entire childhood.
HB 1298	Dutton	Relating to menstrual disorders education and informational materials for public school students.	Against	
HB 1537	Howard	Relating to the submission by law enforcement agencies to certain public school personnel of a handle with care notice concerning a traumatic event experienced by a public school student and to certain required training regarding those notices.	Against	Law enforcement should not be allowed to share private and personal family matters with schools without parental permission.
HB 1927	Hull	Relating to a parent's right to intervene in the apprehension by a peace officer of a child for an emergency detention and certain requirements and restrictions applicable to an emergency detention.	For	Allows parents to intervene if their child is being placed under emergency mental health detention. Potential Courage Bill if civil remedy is included.
HB 2479	Rose	Relating to parental approval for the participation of certain students in human sexuality instruction in public schools.	Against	Instead of requiring opt-in like everyone else, this inserts an opt-out provision for students within the conservatorship of Dept. of Family & Protective Services.
HB 2716	Hull	Relating to neglect of a child and the grounds for termination of the parent-child relationship and possession of a child by the Department of Family and Protective Services.	For	Helps parents exercise their fundamental right to direct the medical and mental health care of their children.