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Rochelle Walensky, Director
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
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Dear Director Walensky:

Citizens' Council for Health Freedom is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that exists to protect patient and doctor freedom. First, we strongly oppose adding the COVID-19 shot to the Vaccines for Children (VFC) program. Although the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices voted 15-0 yesterday (October 19) to make the addition, there is insufficient science behind the decision and plenty of danger posed to our youngest citizens. Furthermore, we believe the vote was primarily undertaken to secure liability protections for vaccine manufactures post-emergency use authorization (EUA), instead of the claim to provide access to uninsured children, whose lives may be adversely impacted by access to this experimental and unproven drug.

Second, we oppose adding the COVID-19 vaccine to the annual childhood and adult vaccination schedules. Recommending an emergency-use-authorized shot for children and adults is unprecedented, irresponsible, and dangerous. Children are not at high-risk, effective early treatments exist for adults, and current data does not support Covid shots as safe or effective.

Hundreds of thousands of individual stories have been reported to VAERS, including more than 31,000 deaths, which show the grave risks patients face from the injection – specifically young men. Many people who are fully vaccinated and boosted with a third vaccination, young and old, have experienced immediate reactions to the shot, been diagnosed with myocarditis and other long-term health issues – and still contracted COVID-19.

These ACIP proposals put our children at risk by claiming COVID-19 shots are safe for children and by recommending to you, the CDC Director, that they be injected with an experimental drug – while relieving pharmaceutical companies of any liability for deaths and adverse reactions.

No vaccine should be recommended by ACIP or the CDC and provided to children without proper vetting. Currently, manufacturers of the Covid-19 injection have not demonstrated the vaccine is safe—indeed the EUA requires further clinical trials—nor that it is able to stop the transmission of the virus. No child should receive a drug that has not been fully researched, nor should any such injection be mandated or recommended by the CDC. Based on these findings and concerns, the CDC should have no option but to reject the ACIP's recommendations and refuse to add COVID-19 injections to the VFC program and vaccination schedules.

Sincerely,

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