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I am writing to voice my concern over the topic of vaccine passports in Saskatoon.

This is so awful that I struggle to comprehend how this even became a topic?

Vaccines are not a cure, they are at best, giving your body a great immune boost and the ability to make antibodies against the virus or disease trying to enter it.

This is not to say that you will never get the virus/disease you are vaccinating against. It's a leg up, not a cure. Please know there are many people who cannot receive the vaccine i.e. children, those who are allergic, and those who are so compromised that their bodies could not handle a foreign substance entering without sending it in a cytokine storm. Implementing a vaccine passport in our own city is so divisive and discriminating. It hurts to think there are such people who wish to divide our city into groups especially when we have not even gone through the long-term testing of this vaccine to actually know of its efficacy.

Asymptomatic spread is almost negligible. If you do not have symptoms, you do not need to worry about spreading.

We know that Covid did not even come close to the harm that we thought it would bring to Saskatoon. We never once used our field hospital and in fact we have now taken it down. With all viruses and diseases, the sad unfortunate truth is that some die. My family got Covid, some in their 80s some in their 20s. The statistics in my family show that there was 100% recovery. Yes, we feel very blessed.

Those in my family who were vaccinated, had some adverse reactions. We will have to wait and see what the long term out look will be for everyone who is vaccinated. We cannot possibly know this yet because it's only been a few months since the roll out. We do see what is happening in Israel. Double vaccinated people are making up to 80% of the hospital cases. The vaccine is not helping with the variants.

It takes years to know long-term effects from vaccine trials. We are not there yet.

When we are divisive as a community we spread hate. Remember what happened with the Jews, the African Americans, the Tutsis in Rwanda, our own First Nations people, the list goes on. These groups were told they were diseased and not worthy to be with the so called "superior".

Nothing good happens when we are divisive.

Please make moral decisions that represent all of Saskatoon, not just some. No to vaccine passports.

Respectfully,

Vanessa Nyssen

Sent from my iPhone