

I am concerned by the language in Section 1(6) of the bill: "A health care provider shall ensure that a health care interpreter who works with the provider and a patient in person has received all vaccines and testing recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for health care workers. The provider shall administer any vaccines or provide the testing that a health care interpreter lacks at no cost to the health care interpreter."

Please consider amending the bill language to include an opt-out or opt-in option in the above section. While I support providing interpretation services, I oppose the current draft of the bill.