

# SENATE BILL NO. 952

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

## AN ACT

To amend chapters 1 and 191, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to the right to refuse medical treatment.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapters 1 and 191, RSMo, are amended by adding  
2 thereto two new sections, to be known as sections 1.335 and  
3 191.1405, to read as follows:

1.335. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the  
2 contrary, no law, order, ordinance, regulation, or public  
3 policy shall be passed or implemented by the state or any  
4 political subdivision of the state, including, but not  
5 limited to, schools and institutions of higher education  
6 receiving public funds, that infringes upon the  
7 unquestionable right of individuals to refuse any medical  
8 procedure or treatment, including, but not limited to,  
9 injections, vaccines, or prophylactics. Equality of rights  
10 under the law shall not be denied or abridged to any person  
11 in this state because of the exercise of the right under  
12 this section. Nothing in this section shall be interpreted  
13 to infringe upon a parent's right to exercise control over  
14 their minor, unemancipated child's physical and mental care.

191.1405. No health care facility licensed or  
2 registered by the state shall require visitors to undergo an  
3 invasive medical procedure, including an injection or

4 vaccine, in order to have in-person contact with a patient  
5 or resident.

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