Ms. Jeanette Housner 3610 33rd Ave S Apt 208 Seattle, WA 98144-6994 (206) 420-3179

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Sincerely, Ms. Jeanette Housner

Mr. John Vlantis 2716 Vanderbilt Ln Apt D Redondo Beach, CA 90278-3325 (310) 406-5320

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Mr. David Thometz 987 Simerly Creek Rd Hampton, TN 37658-3627 (423) 725-2666

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Miss Laurie Woods PO Box 6904 Tahoe City, CA 96145-6904 (530) 583-4857

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Sincerely, Miss Laurie Woods

Mr. John Lopresti 509 Diamond Blvd Johnstown, PA 15905-2720 (814) 255-2560

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Mr. Mark McKim 2906 E Martin Luther King Jr Blvd Austin, TX 78702-1661 (214) 538-7748

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Sincerely, Mr. Mark McKim

Mrs. Niloofar Damavandi 786 Renault Ln Plano, TX 75023-7067 (972) 424-1281

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Sincerely, Mrs. Niloofar Damayandi

Mrs. Nancy Vickers 6333 Wood Valley Rd Jacksonville, FL 32217-2459 (904) 334-3083

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Sincerely, Mrs. Nancy Vickers

Ms. Myrna Fisher PO Box 9847 Salt Lake City, UT 84109-0847 (801) 463-4711

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Sincerely, Ms. Myrna Fisher

Mr. Andrew Reisinger 2016 McAfee Rd Decatur, GA 30032-3943 (404) 377-9653

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Sincerely, Mr. Andrew Reisinger

Mr. Tammy Meier 7707 S Interstate 35 # 35 Austin, TX 78744-5500 (512) 656-1624

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Sincerely, Mr. Tammy Meier

Dr. Donna Bobbitt-Zeher 880 Cherryfield Ave Columbus, OH 43235-1759 (513) 683-6378

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Sincerely, Dr. Donna Bobbitt-Zeher

Mrs. Celia Holm 7550 N Snow Bowl Rd Flagstaff, AZ 86001-8200 (928) 774-6952

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Sincerely, Mrs. Celia Holm

Ms. Jessica Jensen 800 Jefferson St Oakland, CA 94607-3694 (510) 508-6389

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Sincerely, Ms. Jessica Jensen

Ms. Sarah Ragalyi 28466 Eldorado Pl Lathrup Village, MI 48076-2621 (248) 557-7544

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Sincerely, Ms. Sarah Ragalyi

Ms. Rachel Wilson 11 Lucero St Thousand Oaks, CA 91360-2662 (805) 657-1443

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Sincerely, Ms. Rachel Wilson

Ms. Yvonne Brown 275 Crestview Rd Columbus, OH 43202-2209 (614) 268-0212

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This is really obnoxious & obvious discrimination to women and especially poor women and families. I urge you to withdraw this dangerous and shameful proposed rule and instead focus your office on protecting access to care. You politicians know- make America great again is your theme.

Sincerely, Ms. Yvonne Brown

Mrs. Kathryn Keenan 16715 Bishop Knoll Ln Houston, TX 77084-5890 (281) 550-8400

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I strongly urge you to withdraw this dangerous and shameful proposed rule and instead focus your office on protecting access to care for every single person.

Sincerely, Mrs. Kathryn Keenan

Ms. DawnMarie Schmitz 20 Delaware St Huntington, NY 11743-3641 (631) 385-1291

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Sincerely, Ms. DawnMarie Schmitz

Dr. Adam Colton General Delivery Nome, AK 99762-9999 (907) 434-0572

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This proposal will promote discrimination and restrict access to health care, particularly for vulnerable communities that already have trouble accessing it. There is already the right to not provide certain services because of religious objections, but it is a responsibility of health care workers to find patients those resources which they refuse to provide. Allowing health care workers to completely disregard and refuse normal medical services to patients based upon personal beliefs this will create a worsening of access to care and will ultimately lead to worse health outcomes.

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Sincerely, Dr. Adam Colton

Mrs. Rosemary Ford 885 Lees Ave Long Beach, CA 90815-5024 (562) 212-1416

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Sincerely, Mrs. Rosemary Ford

Mr. Keith Ohler 152 S Joliet Cir Apt 304 Aurora, CO 80012-6407 (720) 217-3517

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Ms. Virginia Sabado 6011 1st Ave NW Seattle, WA 98107-2008 (206) 612-0129

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Sincerely, Ms. Virginia Sabado

Mrs. Patricia Appel 925 Meadowlark Ln Laguna Beach, CA 92651-2842 (949) 494-5511

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Sincerely, Mrs. Patricia Appel

Mrs. Cathy Polakoff 556 Havencrest Ln Coppell, TX 75019-5720 (972) 746-3659

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Sincerely, Mrs. Cathy Polakoff

Mrs. Lauren Hogan 26 Aberdeen Pl Clayton, MO 63105-2267 (314) 780-8673

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Sincerely, Mrs. Lauren Hogan

Ms. Aimee Youmans PO Box 40 Gustavus, AK 99826-0040 (907) 697-2330

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Do no harm. This is the most basic tenet of providing health care. To deny care to anyone who seeks and needs it would call to question the morality of the caregiver. To deny care is to deny that a person cares. This power does not apply to healthcare workers, and is simply an egregious attempt to promote discrimination and restrict access to health care, particularly for vulnerable communities that already have trouble accessing it. I urge you to withdraw this dangerous and shameful proposed rule and instead focus your office on protecting access to care. Health and social services for all. That's your job. Do it.

Sincerely, Ms. Aimee Youmans

Ms. Amy Mower PO Box 2004 Maple Falls, WA 98266-2004 (360) 599-3372

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Ms. Charlotte Benford 556 Cervantes Dr Henderson, NV 89014-4003 (702) 436-6270

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Mr. Roger Anderson 5577 Corte Del Cajon Pleasanton, CA 94566-5901 (925) 846-0769

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Men and the government do not have the right to dictate what happens to a woman's body!!

Sincerely, Ms. Robin Witcher

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Sincerely, Ms. Jacqueline Klein

Ms. Susan Rapoport 401 Waltham St. Unit 2 West Newton, MA 02465 (617) 916-0478

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