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**Summary of main points for the issue/ concern:**

Mask Mandate in OCDSB schools.

My primary concern is only students at OCDSB will be under a mask mandate. This makes me worried that only those with little financial or political power (kids) will have their free choice to mask or not taken away while those with more power in our society have will continue to have a choice. This really bothers me and I do not think it is fair and is part of of a problem of only policing peoples actions who have some of the least power in our society. If we are truly in a medical emergency OPH or the Province needs to step up and apply the rules fairly to everyone.

**Recommendation(s) for resolution of issue:**

A mask mandate if needed should be applied by OPH at the City level or by the provincial health authority for the province.