

# Press Release

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A Vermont family whose six-year-old son was administered an experimental COVID-19 vaccination at a public school clinic against his parents' wishes has filed suit in the Supreme Court of the United States. In August, the Vermont Supreme Court ruled the Politella family's claims of violations of their rights were barred by federal laws concerning emergency vaccines (the PREP Act).

Brattleboro attorney Ron Ferrara represented Tony and Shujen Politella and their son Leo in state court proceedings. Ron has been joined by attorney John Klar to file a Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the United States Supreme Court challenging the Vermont Supreme Court's outrageous conclusion that federal laws shielding vaccine manufacturers extend to school officials who negligently or deliberately inject young children with vaccines.

Vermont public schools were "awarded" monetary bonuses by the State of Vermont based on rates of vaccination – yet this child and his family are denied any recourse simply because the vaccine was experimental. This is not the only child that this has happened to.

Leo and his parents seek to prevent this double injury – subjecting their child to medical care they rejected, then denying any legal recourse for that wrong – from being inflicted on other families.

The Politellas have asked the United States Supreme Court to correct Vermont's misguided misapplication of the PREP Act. The Politellas tell their story in a [brief video](#) accompanying a fundraiser for legal fees.

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