

Biden's COVID plan ignores natural immunity, says doctor

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In a sweeping new vaccine mandate, President Joe Biden is ordering all businesses with more than 100 employees to require their workers to get the COVID shot or face weekly testing.

"As a doctor, what concerns me is President Biden basically paid no attention to the role of natural immunity," said Dr. Jeffrey Singer to The National Desk's Jan Jeffcoat. "Numerous studies now are showing that people who've had previous COVID infections are their immunity is either equal to or maybe even greater than vaccine-induced immunity."

Countries like Israel and the United Kingdom accept proof of previous COVID infection in lieu of proof of vaccination, according to Dr. Singer.

"Numerous experts are having a debate, some think that people with a previous COVID infection don't need to get vaccinated, some think they just need the first of the two mRNA doses, but apparently according to President Biden, the science is settled," said Dr. Singer.

Both the Biden administration and the Centers for Disease Control have faced criticism over messaging throughout the pandemic.

"When he basically leaned into the camera and said our patience is wearing thin, and then whispered to the unvaccinated people, how much more information do you need, what are you waiting for, that's not the kind of message that's going to make a person who isn't vaccinated suddenly say, you know, he's right, I need to go get vaccinated. In fact, it's probably going to have the opposite effect," said Dr. Singer.

Newly released documents obtained by The Intercept have called into question the NIH's involvement in the Wuhan Virology Lab funding, specifically when it comes to gain of function research.

"I looked over the whole thing and it changed my thinking somewhat," said New York University medical professor Dr. Marc Siegel. "There's one little clause there that I didn't expect that I didn't like, which said that the NIH could use authorized reverse genetics, which means just what it sounds like manipulating viruses, using humanized mice, using them to gauge the potential of viruses in the lab."

Dr. Singer says he finds the newly released documents "disturbing."

"Now there's evidence that actually we were funding gain of function to research. So once again, this just fuels distrust for our public officials and our public health authorities," said Dr. Singer.	