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I would also like to point out a couple of other things that you should not force people to wear masks.

1. The deaf and hard of hearing can no longer lip read.

2. The cloth masks need to be washed daily otherwise mold will grow. Are we prepared for hospitals to handle this, cause you know people are not washing there masks daily.

3. Disposable masks should only be worn for 30 min at a time. I am pretty sure people are not switching masks every 30 min and washing their hands in between uses

4 masks give people a false sense of security. Unless it's an n92 it's useless.

5 the amount of disposable masks that are laying on the streets, do you have a plan for those as they was into our city sewers? Now that's disgusting. Never mind the gloves.

6 stop trying to be like Toronto. They have triple the amount of people we do.

7 children are not good with masks. Plus the chances of them getting covid is next to impossible so why are you forcing them. Children are suppose to build up their immunity, so are the hospitals prepared for al our children who will be flooding the hospitals in the future. It's not right. When you were a child would you have worn a mask.

8 mask won't let people sing in church. And that is a really sad day when you take away people's rights to worship. Plus it's against the freedom of rights act.

9 no one will smile anymore, its hidden under the mask of mold. Depression will set on quickly. Are the hospitals prepared for this?

10 masks do more harm than good. Our cases are next to nil without you enforcing masks. There are worse diseases out there than this pandemic.