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6 false claims in the debate to end Louisiana's school COVID vaccine mandates

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The third time's the charm for Rep. Kathy Edmonston, who has repeatedly tried to bring an end to mandates that require students to obtain the COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of enrollment.

The Louisiana House Education Committee approved her bill Wednesday, which would apply to public and private schools. Edmonston, a Baton Rouge Republican, has insisted her legislation is needed, although a process has long existed for parents to exempt their children from required vaccines.

Just as in years past, Edmonston and supporters of her proposal have conveyed highly questionable information when promoting the measure. In this space, we strive to promote fact-based truth with full, applicable context, so let's tackle their distorted talking points one by one.

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