



FLORIDA CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS  
2020 Candidate Questionnaire Project



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**DO YOU SUPPORT OR OPPOSE...**

<p><b>ABORTION LIMITS:</b> Prohibiting abortion when a fetus has reached 20 weeks gestation and has the capacity to feel pain?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: Unless the life of the mother or other serious complications present.</i></p>	<p><b>OPPOSE</b></p>
<p><b>ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE:</b> Increasing health coverage options for uninsured Floridians, especially the unemployed and the working poor?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: I fully support a Medicare for All type solution. I believe healthcare is a right.</i></p>	<p><b>SUPPORT</b></p>
<p><b>AFFORDABLE HOUSING:</b> Using all state housing trust funds as intended to address affordable housing needs in Florida?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: It's unfortunate how our 'leaders' pilfer from the Sadowski Trust Fund constantly. Affordable housing is a top issue in House District 120.</i></p>	<p><b>SUPPORT</b></p>
<p><b>CRIMINAL JUSTICE:</b> Authorizing courts to impose a sentence less than the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment for nonviolent crimes?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: America should be ashamed of how many citizens we have incarcerated. We need systemic change.</i></p>	<p><b>SUPPORT</b></p>
<p><b>DEATH PENALTY REPEAL:</b> Ending Florida's use of the death penalty while preserving the alternative of a life sentence without parole?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: I used to support the death penalty but have grown wiser. A life in prison without parole is sufficient justice.</i></p>	<p><b>SUPPORT</b></p>
<p><b>END-OF-LIFE PROTECTION:</b> Preserving Florida law that bans doctor-prescribed suicide?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: If a person is facing an end-of-life condition and will end their days in suffering, I support compassionate alternatives.</i></p>	<p><b>OPPOSE</b></p>
<p><b>FREEDOM TO SERVE:</b> Allowing health care providers and workers the freedom to serve in accord with their conscience?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: Our healthcare professionals take the Hippocratic Oath and that should be adhered to. I would like to know a specific example and make a determination from there.</i></p>	<p><b>NO RESPONSE</b></p>
<p><b>PARENTAL EMPOWERMENT:</b> Eliminating the requirement to attend public school the year prior to receiving a state scholarship for K-12 non-public schools?</p>	<p><b>OPPOSE</b></p>
<p><b>PROTECTING WORKERS:</b> Requiring drinking water, shade, and annual heat illness training be provided for farmworkers and other outdoor workers?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: I firmly believe in social justice.</i></p>	<p><b>SUPPORT</b></p>
<p><b>RELIGIOUS FREEDOM:</b> Respecting the autonomy of non-public schools to maintain policies that distinguish dress codes and other aspects of student life on the biological basis of sex?</p> <p><i>Optional Comments: I support religious freedom, but I do not support discrimination of LGBTQ children. Being LGBTQ is not a choice, they are born this way. As God intended.</i></p>	<p><b>OPPOSE</b></p>