A Deadly Coincidence: School Shootings and Drugged Students

Why our health care system is bankrupt.

Our medical licensing boards have become nothing but handmaidens for Big Pharma.

British Columbians have to put up with a provincial government (currently running for re election) so incompetent or corrupt or both that it rescinded a bill passed by its predecessor that would have stopped the type of regulatory (predatory)abuse as recorded in the following communication. Oh yes, this government, while assuring concerned citizens that the College of Physicians & Surgeons powers were sufficiently curbed, appointed lay watch dogs to the College Council only to have them turn into lap dogs and did nothing about such obscene violations justice and of the rules of evidence. - CW

Hi Croft:

I appreciate all the material you keep sending. This very topic here is one dear to my heart and this very family of drugs is one (amongst others) that I ripped at the College investigators when they suspended my licence! They suspended my licence saying I didn't have the skill to practice medicine in BC, and the overwhelming reason and theme was the major disagreements we had on drugs! When I told them I disliked SSRI's like Prozac and Paxil because it has been proven they cause suicide and violent behavior, they failed me saying there is no such proof and the only evidence there was, was anecdotal. When I quoted a few of the cases such as the Healy case in Colorado where a soft spoken man shot up his family and himself and the survivors successfully sued the drug giant who had the supporting info in their trials, resulting in packet warnings in the UK but not here, I was ignored! I also was failed when I blasted statins and their trail of woe and many antihypertensives, ritalin and cardiac drugs which I knew better than any of them. My source of information was the CPS which 100% of the doctors in BC use!! Van Andel, the registrar of the college actually stood up at my hearing and attacked the CPS (the doctors' drug bible) because it was the only way he could discredit my defense!! He didn't respond when I asked what alternative the college was recommending to the CPS! None of the other 25 or so doctors had any come backs to the truth. A greater number of diabolical devils I have not seen in one room. They also crucified my good friend and colleague who originally worked out of my office in Kitimat when he started back in 1971.Dr Kuntz has been designated by the director of the American college of spinal surgeons as the greatest spinal surgeon that has ever lived!WOW!I scrubbed with Dr.Cloward in Honolulu in the sixties as a surgical resident. He is the father of cervical spinal surgery. Dave Kuntz is the greatest technical surgeon I have ever seen who was robbed not only of his licence, but of his invention, a synthetic cervical disc that he created, by a

Frenchman who has made 350 million dollars on a plagiarized patent. The fraud propagated against him here goes all the way to a chief justice of the supreme court of Canada!! The absolute corruption of the medical systems is being exposed and they will come down with a crash. The Judge of all judges misses nothing and His ways are perfect. I talked with Dave Kuntz for over an hour the other day. You haven't heard the end of us yet! Our day comes and we will be vindicated and we will expose the garbage upon garbage that masquerades as anything that is in favor of health, when it is the worship of money for the business of corrupted medicine which puts burdens upon people which pale anything that crooked lawyers are accused of. They only rob you of money, not your health and very LIFE!!

You are fighting a good fight! Dont stop! Your information is important! Be encouraged. my friend.

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Students
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I keep waiting for someone to notice the way the rash of school shootings the US has experienced has coincided with the massive program of drugging "over-active" students or those deemed to have an "attention deficit." Medicating students has replaced counseling.

On December 1, 1997, Michael Carneal, a troubled 14-year-old, killed three students and wounded five others at Heath High School in West Paducah, Kentucky. In 1998, there were three events in which boys, one as young as 11, killed classmates and teachers. Most notorious is the April 20, 1999 Columbine High School massacre by two boys, Eric Harris, 18, and Dylan Klebold, 17, who killed twelve students and a teacher, and wounded 23 others before committing suicide.

There were two incidents in 2000, one involving a 6-year-old who shot and killed another 6-year-old at Buell Elementary School in Mount Morris Township, Michigan, and on May 26, Nathaniel Brazill, 13, killed his English teacher on the last day of classes in Lake Worth, Florida. On March 5, 2001, Charles Williams, 15, killed two students and wounded 13 others at Santana

High School in Santee, California. And, in 2003, two students were killed at Rocori High School in Cold Spring, Minnesota by a fellow student, age 15. He is awaiting trial.

This brings us to 16-year-old Jeff Weise who, on Monday, March 21, killed his grandfather and his longtime companion, and then went to the school on Red lake Indian Reservation where he killed nine people and wounded seven before, like Harris and Klebold, killing himself. Weise was on Prozac, a medication for depression. Harris and Klebold were both on various mindaltering medications. Not only did they not help them, but the question is whether they may have actually contributed to these acts of murder? How many of the other young killers, dating back to 1997, were also being medicated? And, while we're at it, how many young suicide victims were likewise being medicated?

Something is terribly wrong in this nation when we can experience a succession of seemingly senseless school killings and not begin to ask whether the national obsession with drugging an estimated six to seven million school children isn't a contributory factor?

"Why is 80 percent of the world's methylphenidate (Ritalin and Adderall) being fed to American children?" asked Dr. William B. Carey when he appeared before a House panel investigating the wide use of psychotropic drugs in 2003. "These drugs have the potential for serious harm and abuse," noted Rep. Michael N. Castle (R-DE). "They are listed on Schedule II of the Controlled Substances Act."

Schools authorities, supported by members of the psychiatric community, have recommended that millions of children be put on psychotropic drugs since the invention of two new "syndromes." There have always been "overactive" children and many children said to be suffering from "attention deficit" may actually be quite bright, but totally bored by what passes for a curriculum these days. Or they may, like millions of children passing through the school system, be illiterate; thanks to the way reading is taught.

Too many of these "recommendations" have included the threat of having children removed from the parent's care.

So why is the Bush Administration, responsible for the No Child Left Behind Act that school systems are fleeing in droves, also pushing to have universal mental health screening undertaken in schools? While the 108th Congress took steps to protect parents from being coerced by schools to subject their children to some of the psychiatric medications, they exempted antidepressant medications (like Prozac) or those used to treat children labeled bipolar. Known side effects of these drugs include obesity, diabetes, and neurological problems.

Some of the neurological problems include suicidal thoughts and, one wonders, homicidal thoughts as well? That said, it is easy to pin the blame on the use of drugs, just as it is easier for teachers and administrators to recommend drugging students who exhibit disruptive behavior or what, to a lay person, appears to be an emotional disorder. When you have a classroom full of kids, the troubled ones frequently stick out, but there is often scarce time and little real training to provide help.

Where should that help come from? Parents! No one has greater responsibility and authority than parents for the welfare of their children. However, the result of compulsory education in America increasingly involves interposing the power of the school between students and parents. In fairness, many teachers will tell you their capacity to discipline a student has significantly diminished.

Lastly, in a society suffused with constant news and imagery of homicidal behavior, why should anyone be surprised that a child or adolescent would not see this as a viable alternative to whatever emotional torment he is experiencing? What is almost guaranteed, however, is that we shall read about more school killings in the years ahead.

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