Wisconsin's "Cocaine Mom" Law (Act 292)

The "Unborn Child Protection Act", also known as Act 292 or the "cocaine mom law", strips the civil and human rights of pregnant people in Wisconsin. The law was pushed through in 1997 by anti-abortion lawmakers due to the "crack baby" myth, which was later debunked. Act 292 was ruled unconstitutional by a federal judge but is still in place due to former Gov. Scott Walker (R) and former

AG Brad Schimel (R).

Act 292 allows WI to:

- Accuse certain pregnant people of "unborn child abuse"
- Assign a lawyer to the embryo or fetus - but not the pregnant person
- Subject the person to forced medical intervention
- Force them into
 psychiatric hospitals or
 even jail for former,
 current, or even
 suspected drug use

Act 292 threatens the human rights of pregnant people. Join us in restoring liberty and bodily autonomy for all Wisconsinites.

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