

The Covid "Vaccine" and "Herd Immunity": Changing the Definitions

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The Pfizer- BioNtech Covid-19 mRNA vaccine was launched on November 9, 202o.

Pfizer announced their mRNA-based vaccine candidate, BNT162b2, against SARS-CoV-2 has demonstrated evidence of efficacy against COVID-19 in participants ... based on the first interim efficacy analysis conducted on November 8, 2020 by an external, independent Data Monitoring Committee (DMC) from the Phase 3 clinical study. ... The evaluable case count reached 94 and the DMC performed its first analysis on all cases. The case split between vaccinated individuals and those who received the placebo indicates a vaccine efficacy rate above 90%,

Wow! Conducted on the 8th of November 2020 (94 cases) and announced immediately the day after on the 9th of November 2020.

And barely one week later ,following Pfizer's announcement, the World Heath Organization (WHO) hastily decides on November 13, 2020 to modify its definition of "Herd Inmunity".

Herd immunity is an important concept in medicine which occurs "when a large portion of a community (the herd) becomes immune to a disease [e.g. SARS-2], making the spread of disease from person to person unlikely. As a result, the whole community becomes protected — not just those who are immune." (Mayo Clinic)

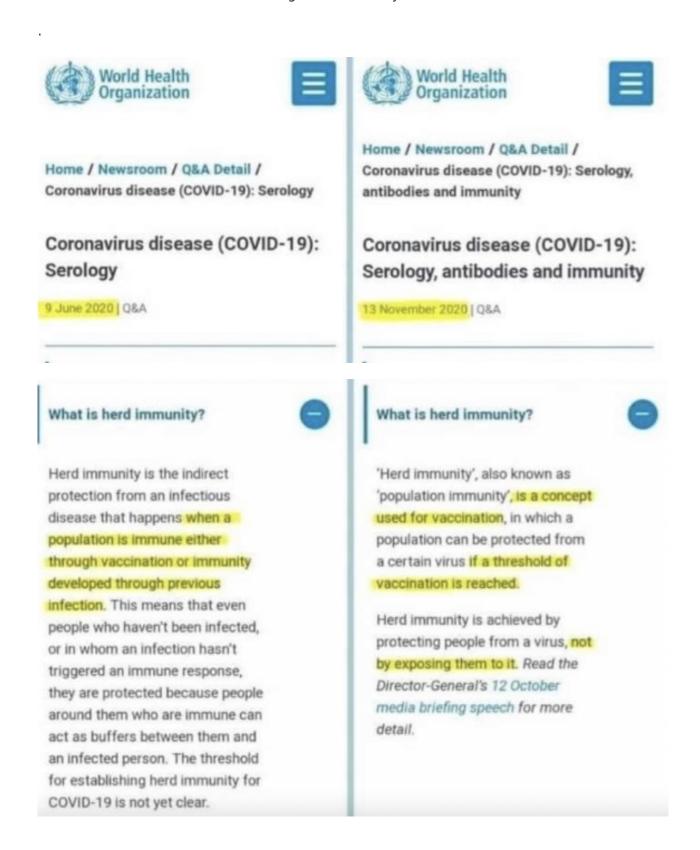
What this definition suggests is that social distancing and the face mask could undermine the development of herd immunity.

"It happens when so many people in a community become <u>immune</u> to an infectious disease that it stops the disease from spreading".

On November 13, 2020, pressured by Big Pharma, the WHO redefined herd immunity with a view to supporting the mRNA vaccine.

Below (Left) is the official WHO definition (June 2020).

And on November 13, 2020 coinciding with the launching of the Covid-19 "vaccine" (Right) the WHO decided unilaterally to redefine a fundamental medical concept, focussing solely on the role of vaccination in achieving herd immunity.



To my knowledge, the peer reviewed definition of herd immunity has not changed.

The new "definition" of the WHO visibly serves the interests of Big Pharma involved in the marketing of the deadly Covid-19 vaccine.

Another version of the WHO's herd immunity definition was posted on December 31, 2021 which postulates:

"To safely achieve herd immunity against COVID-19, a substantial proportion of a population would need to be vaccinated, lowering the overall amount of virus able to spread in the whole population".

The broader issue, amply documented, is that the "vaccine" not only creates disease, it undermines the immune system of those who have received the vaccine.

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