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Covid critic becomes FDA chief

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The FDA is being filled by a vocal Covid critic who has sharply criticized pandemic and vaccination policies.

The name Marty Makary will be completely unknown to most people - even in the USA. He will be the new commissioner of the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Makary, who will have to report directly to Health Minister Kennedy, pursued a medical career. He worked at the notorious Johns Hopkins University and the WHO, but quickly became a staunch Covid critic.

While Makary was still in favor of masks in the very early phase in March 2020, he now says things like:

“The biggest perpetrator of misinformation during the Covid pandemic has been the United States (and Canadian) government. Public health officials were intellectually dishonest. They lied to the American (and Canadian) people.”

Now he is taking over one of these authorities himself, which was significantly involved in the spread of false information.

He said on FOX News at the time on the Tucker Carlson Show:

“We have withdrawn vaccines where the incidence of adverse events was far lower than the COVID vaccine...The FDA, which is supposed to be our top regulator, said, 'Don't release this data to the public because that would damaging public trust.'”

Now he will be the head of this regulatory authority.

But Makary is not a dissident Covid critic. He has deep connections in the US medical establishment. For example, in February 2021 he was able to argue in the Wall Street Journal that herd immunity would be achieved in April.

[The doctor and journalist Vinay Prasad explains the dilemma](#) that the mainstream is now in. Is Makary an "author of 3 best-selling books, Johns Hopkins professor and surgeon" or a Fox News contributor who once shook Donald Trump's hand and ripped a vaccine out of someone's arm before the shot could be administered, saying #No, "Go away, Autism Juice" shouted.



Prasad sees a good handle for the FDA. Because Makary was right about almost everything over the course of the Covid years. With his nomination, which must be confirmed by Congress, RFK's chances of initiating a real Covid response in the USA will probably expand.