I think Republicans are more hypocritical, and I have examples as to why.
user1

There was a time when I would have said "Republicans" are more hypocritical. Lately, I am not so sure.
user2

I am thinking in particular right now of vaccine mandates.
user2

One example is Matt Gaetz and their save the children campaign. They constantly are preaching about saving children, however, when a member of their own party gets caught soliciting minors they turn the other cheek. Democrats on the other hand will vilify our own party members if they do something outside of our moral lines.
user1

Vaccine mandates are a good topic because it is freedom of choice which Democrats preach.
user1

I heard about Gaetz. Yes, I think the Repubs should not have been so quick to defend him.
user2

Re vaccine mandates, it was the coercion that I found horrifying. People would lose their jobs! Children would be affected! I could not believe the Democrats were supporting this!
user2

I would expect Republicans to blindly follow Establishment directives, and happily. But, with regard covid and vaccination, it is the Dems apparently turning a blind eye to facts. I begin to believe the Dems are not much different from the Repubs.
user2

I think it's hard because the vaccine doesn't really stop transmission, too, so it's really up to the person to protect themselves.
user1

It is definitely more of a personal choice because you can decide how sick you may get if you do get the vaccine or not. Some people have no symptoms, but myself, I was hospitalized and I had 3 shots.
user1

The Dems also apparently support censorship of news, calling it "misinformation". This would be something I would expect of Republicans, not Democrats.
user2

Vaccine efficacy is poor, to say the least, but Dems apparently support suppression of this information.
user2

If you recovered from covid, you are done with covid. Cheers!
user2

I'm on the fence about that one when it comes to safety. If the misinformation can cause harm to people then I can understand, but again, we should be able to critically think enough to decide on our own what is and isn't misinformation.
user1

I don't know anything about medicine. I don't fee qualified to make such decisions myself. I WANT to be able to rely on expert medical authority, but I don't feel that I can.
user2