



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: [H.B. 367 of the 130th G.A.](#)

Date: February 18, 2014

Status: As Introduced

Sponsor: Reps. Driehaus and Sprague

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Contents: Requires health curriculum to include instruction in prescription opioid abuse prevention

State Fiscal Highlights

- Any costs to the Governor's Cabinet Opiate Action Team for developing the recommendations required by the bill or to the Department of Education for posting those recommendations on its website should not be significant.

Local Fiscal Highlights

- Some school districts may incur minimal costs to update their health curricula to meet the requirements of the bill.

Detailed Fiscal Analysis

Under current law, school districts' health curricula must include instruction on: the nutritional value of foods; the harmful effects of and legal restrictions against the use of drugs of abuse, alcoholic beverages, and tobacco; venereal disease education; in grades kindergarten through six, personal safety and assault prevention; and in grades seven through twelve, dating violence prevention. The bill adds prescription opioid abuse prevention to this list of required instruction. Some school districts may incur minimal costs to update their health curricula to meet the bill's requirements. The bill also requires the Governor's Cabinet Opiate Action Team to develop recommendations for the instruction in prescription opioid abuse prevention to be submitted to the Department of Education (ODE) by July 1, 2014. Subsequently, ODE must publish these recommendations on its website. Any costs incurred by the Governor's Office or ODE to meet this requirement should not be significant.

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