



**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**  
**DHFS 1/30/2008**

LRB Number <b>07-3849/1</b>	Introduction Number <b>SB-405</b>	Estimate Type <b>Original</b>
<b>Description</b> This bill provides that a school board may offer an instructional program in human growth and development.		

**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

Under current law, school boards may provide instruction in human growth and development to children in elementary and secondary school. Volunteer health care providers may, after being approved by the Department of Administration, provide health care services to schools and non-profit agencies. Volunteers are not, however, allowed to provide information regarding certain aspects of human growth and development, including information on human sexuality, family planning, and AIDS. For purposes of legal representation, volunteer health care providers are considered under current law to be agents of the Department.

AB 405 allows school boards to provide medically accurate information, which is defined in the bill, in instructional programs on human growth and development. The bill also removes the current restriction on volunteers' providing information about certain human growth and development topics. This bill is not expected to have a fiscal effect on the Department or on local departments of public health.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**