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LRB Number 15-1342/1	Introduction Number	AB-0037			
Description Requiring certain persons to hold certificates of food protection practices in order to operate certain school lunchrooms participating in the National School Lunch Program					
Fiscal Effect					
State: No State Fiscal Effect Indeterminate Increase Existing Appropriations Appropriations Appropriations Create New Appropriations	Increase Costs - Existing within agency's I	□No			
Local: No Local Government Costs Indeterminate 1. Increase Costs Permissive Mandatory Permissive 2. Decrease Costs Permissive Mandatory Permissive	Mandatory Towns Revenue Counties	☐Village ☐Cities☐Others☐			
Fund Sources Affected GPR FED PRO PRS S	Affected Ch. 20 Affected Ch. 2	•••			
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, the Department of Health Services (DHS) issues certificates of food protection practices (FPP certificates) to individuals who complete an exam approved by DHS or who have achieved comparable compliance. The fee to receive FFP certification is \$10. The duration of certification is five years from the date of the examination. The Department issues approximately 12,000 certificates per year.

This bill requires the operator or manager, or a designee, of a lunchroom that participates in the National School Lunch Program to hold a valid FPP certificate issued by DHS. There are 2,285 public schools in Wisconsin. Many school food managers already hold FPP certificates. Because the DHS certified food manager program already exists, the Department possesses the necessary infrastructure to certify such individuals. It is unknown how many additional individuals will seek FPP certificates under the bill. DHS expects that any increased costs for staff time to process additional FPP certificates will be offset by increased fee revenue. Therefore, the Department does not anticipate a fiscal effect as a result of this bill.

The Department does not anticipate a fiscal impact on local health departments.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications