

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	17-5708/1	Introduction Number	AB-1030	Estimate Type	Original
Description mandatory reporting of suspected intent to carry out violence involving a dangerous weapon or explosive in or targeting a school and providing a criminal penalty					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, health care providers can use, disclose, or request the disclosure of protected health information only for the purposes of treatment, payment, health care operations, and/or disclosing information about a patient in a good faith effort to prevent or lessen a serious and imminent threat to the health or safety of a person or the public.

This bill would expand the authority to release protected health information to health care workers who believe a patient intends to commit an act of violence involving a dangerous weapon or explosion targeting a school.

While this bill affects the reporting duties for health care providers and their employees, it is not expected to substantially affect operations at state or county health services departments. DHS does not expect a local or state fiscal impact as a result of this legislation.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications