

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DPI 10/18/2019

LRB Number	19-4538/1	Introduction Number	SB-496	Estimate Type	Original
Description requiring that student identification cards include contact information for suicide prevention hotlines					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under this bill, if a school board, operator of an independent charter school, governing body of a private school, or a college issues identification cards to pupils or college students, the issuer shall include on the identification card certain contact information for suicide prevention and crisis support hotlines.

This bill was recommended by the Speaker's Task Force on Suicide Prevention and is meant to be cost neutral. Providers of identification cards are not required to print IDs if they do not already do so, and the bill is not retroactive, in that it only affects newly printed IDs going forward and not existing unissued supplies. However, issuers might voluntarily choose to abandon stockpiled cards and begin printing IDs with the suicide prevention and crisis support hotline information.

State: No effect

This bill does not affect DPI because the Department does not issue identification cards to pupils.

Local: Indeterminate

While the bill is meant to be cost neutral, providers of identification may incur a cost for updating their card design.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications