State of Misconsin



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2005 WISCONSIN ACT 221

AN ACT *to repeal* 118.07 (3); *to amend* 118.07 (title); and *to create* 118.07 (3) of the statutes; **relating to:** providing information about meningococcal disease to parents of pupils in grades 6 to 12.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 118.07 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.07 (title) Safety Health and safety requirements.

SECTION 2. 118.07 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

118.07 (3) The department shall make available to school districts, private schools, and charter schools information about meningococcal disease, including the causes and symptoms of the disease, how it is spread, and how to obtain additional information about the disease and the availability, effectiveness, and risks of vaccinations against the disease. The department may do so by posting the information on its Internet site. At the beginning of the 2006–07 to 2011–12 school years, each school board and the governing body of each private school and each charter school shall provide the parents and guardians of pupils enrolled in grades 6 to 12 in the school district or school with the information. At the beginning of the 2012 school year and each school year thereafter,

each school board and the governing body of each private school and each charter school shall provide the parents and guardians of pupils enrolled in grade 6 in the school district or school with the information.

SECTION 2m. 118.07 (3) of the statutes, as created by 2005 Wisconsin Act (this act), is repealed.

SECTION 3. Initial applicability.

(1) The creation of section 118.07 (3) of the statutes first applies to the first school year beginning after the effective date of this subsection.

SECTION 4m. Effective dates. This act takes effect on the day after publication, except as follows:

(1) The repeal of section 118.07 (3) of the statutes takes effect on the day after the revisor of statutes publishes in the Wisconsin Administrative Register a statement that the secretary of health and family services has promulgated a rule under section 252.04 (2) of the statutes that requires vaccinations against meningitis. Immediately upon promulgating such a rule the secretary shall notify the revisor of statutes, who shall publish a statement to that effect in the Wisconsin Administrative Register.

^{*} Section 991.11, WISCONSIN STATUTES 2003–04: Effective date of acts. "Every act and every portion of an act enacted by the legislature over the governor's partial veto which does not expressly prescribe the time when it takes effect shall take effect on the day after its date of publication as designated" by the secretary of state [the date of publication may not be more than 10 working days after the date of enactment].