



## 1997 SENATE BILL 499

March 12, 1998 - Introduced by Senators ROSENZWEIG, RUDE, BURKE, RISSER, DARLING, BRESKE and ROESSLER, cosponsored by Representatives OURADA, URBAN, OLSEN, ROBSON, WASSERMAN, BOCK, M. LEHMAN, STASKUNAS, WARD, BAUMGART, CARPENTER, OTT, J. LEHMAN, HANSON, HANDRICK, R. YOUNG, R. POTTER, BLACK, NOTESTEIN, BRANDEMUEHL, SPRINGER, LORGE, OWENS, MUSSER, SPILLNER, BALDWIN and SYKORA. Referred to Committee on Health, Human Services, Aging, Corrections, Veterans and Military Affairs.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** funding for the statewide immunization program and  
2 making an appropriation.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, the department of health and family services (DHFS) administers a statewide immunization program for children. Under the program DHFS provides the vaccines without charge upon the request of a school board or local health department to the extent that state and federal funds are available. In administering the statewide immunization program, DHFS also distributes to local entities participating in the program grants funded under federal vaccines for children programs.

This bill provides \$1,000,000 in fiscal year 1997-98 to DHFS to supplement the federal funding for grants distributed under the statewide immunization program.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

3 **SECTION 1. Appropriation changes.**

4 (1) STATEWIDE IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM INFRASTRUCTURE. In the schedule under  
5 section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of health

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1 and family services under section 20.435 (1) (a) of the statutes, as affected by the acts  
2 of 1997, the dollar amount is increased by \$1,000,000 for fiscal year 1997-98 to  
3 supplement the federal funding for immunization action plan grants.

4 (END)