



## 2005 SENATE BILL 286

August 10, 2005 - Introduced by Senators LAZICH, GROTHMAN, ROESSLER, LEIBHAM and REYNOLDS, cosponsored by Representatives GUNDRUM, BIES, HINES, ALBERS, VOS and PRIDEMORE. Referred to Committee on Education.

1     **AN ACT to renumber** 118.019 (2m); **to repeal and recreate** 118.019 (2m) (title);  
2             **and to create** 118.019 (2m) (b) of the statutes; **relating to:** school district  
3             human growth and development programs.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, a school board may provide an instructional program in human growth and development in grades kindergarten to 12. The program may include instruction in a number of areas, including self-esteem, interpersonal relationships, human sexuality, family life, and sex stereotypes. This bill provides that, if a school board provides instruction in human sexuality, reproduction, or family planning, it must ensure that all course materials and instruction do all of the following:

1. Present abstinence from sexual activity as the preferred choice of behavior in relationship to all sexual activity for unmarried pupils.
  2. Devote more attention to abstinence from sexual activity than to any other behavior.
  3. Emphasize that abstinence from sexual activity before marriage is the most effective way to prevent pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including human immunodeficiency virus and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome.
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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

