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2009 Assembly Bill 725 requires operators of high school grades, including school boards, operators of independent charter schools, and the governing bodies of private schools, to offer enrolled high school students instruction in cardiopulmonary and cardiocerebral resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator (AED). The instruction must be based on an instructional program established by the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association or on other nationally recognized, evidence-based guidelines.

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Assembly Amendment 1 makes the following modifications to the bill:

1. Clarifies that the provisions of the bill apply to the Milwaukee Public School system.
2. Rather than requiring instruction *in the use of* an AED, requires instruction *about* AEDs.
3. Requires the instruction to be provided beginning in the 2011-12 school year, rather than the 2010-11 school year.

Legislative History

Assembly Amendment 1 was offered on April 1, 2010, by Representative Zigmunt. On April 8, 2010, the Assembly Committee on Public Health recommended adoption of the amendment on a vote of Ayes, 6; Noes, 0, and recommended passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 4; Noes, 2.

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