



## Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DPI 12/11/2023

LRB Number	23-4994/1	Introduction Number	AB-0728	Estimate Type	Original
<b>Description</b> teen dating violence prevention education					

### Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill requires the department to work with the Department of Children and Families, and the Department of Health Services, the Council on Domestic Abuse and advocates from statewide organizations representing victims of domestic abuse and sexual violence, to adopt a policy governing the prevention of and appropriate responses to teen dating violence and sexual violence when pupils are at school or while pupils are under the supervision of a school authority. DPI must adopt this policy and make it available to school districts no later than July 1, 2024. The bill also requires DPI to incorporate a teen dating violence and sexual violence prevention curriculum into its model health problems education curriculum.

By January 1, 2025, each school board must adopt either DPI's policy and curriculum or its own policy and curriculum. The bill also requires that before the first day of the school term, school boards must provide to parents and guardians a notice about instruction in teen dating violence and sexual violence prevention planned for that school term. Lastly under the bill, school boards must require school district employees who have direct contact with pupils in grades 6 to 12 to attend teen dating violence and sexual violence prevention training within six months of beginning employment and again at least once every five years.

Local Fiscal Impact: Indeterminate

Schools that choose to create their own policy and curriculum, rather than adopting the Department's model policy and curriculum, will likely incur some additional costs; those costs will vary among schools. It is unknown how many schools would adopt the department's model policy and curriculum or choose to adopt their own. School districts would also likely incur additional costs related to the notification and training requirements under this bill which would also vary among districts. Therefore, the local fiscal impact is indeterminate.

State Fiscal Impact: No Impact

The Department would need to commit staff resources to develop a model policy and model curriculum on teen dating violence and sexual violence prevention curriculum. The bill does not provide additional position or budget authority to implement the new requirements under the bill, so the bill would not have a direct impact on the state's general fund. Absent additional recourses, the Department would have to absorb the work within existing staff resources.

### Long-Range Fiscal Implications