

Fiscal Estimate - 2023 Session

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LRB Number 23-0766/1	Introduction Number SB-0300
Description prohibitions on the use of public employees and public property for activities relating to abortion	
Fiscal Effect	
State: <input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	
Local: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GPR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	
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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill prohibits any individual employed by the state, a state agency, or a local government unit, including any employee of the University of Wisconsin (UW) System or the University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority (d/b/a UW Health) from, while in the scope of his or her employment, providing abortion services, promoting, encouraging, or counseling in favor of abortion services, making abortion referrals, or training others or receiving training in performing abortions. The bill also prohibits the use of public property, including property owned, leased, or controlled by the UW System or the UW Hospital and Clinics Authority, to provide abortion services, promote, encourage, or counsel in favor of abortion services, make abortion referrals, or train individuals in performing abortions.

This bill would likely result in the O8/GYN residency training program at UW Health losing its national accreditation. The national accreditation organization for residency training programs, the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), requires that O8/GYN residency programs provide the option for training in abortion procedures. If that option is not available, a program receives a citation, and if the deficiency is not corrected, it loses its accreditation.

Losing national accreditation would have a significant impact on the residency program, with a total fiscal impact that is indeterminate at this time. But a loss of accreditation would impact enrollment in the residency program, recruitment and retention of faculty, and could impact enrollments in other medical programs.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications