



State of Wisconsin
2023 - 2024 LEGISLATURE

LRB-3805/1
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2023 ASSEMBLY BILL 355

July 17, 2023 - Introduced by Representative SORTWELL, cosponsored by Senator JAMES. Referred to Committee on Mental Health and Substance Abuse Prevention.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 20.435 (5) (eh) of the statutes; **relating to:** grants to prevent
2 suicide by firearm and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill creates an appropriation for the Department of Health Services to award grants to prevent suicide by firearm.

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

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert
4 the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

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SECTION 1

2023-24

2024-25

1 **20.435 Health services, department of**

2 (5) MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES

3 (eh) Grants to prevent suicide by

4	firearm	GPR	B	75,000	75,000
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5 **SECTION 2.** 20.435 (5) (eh) of the statutes is created to read:

6 20.435 (5) (eh) *Grants to prevent suicide by firearm.* Biennially, the amounts
7 in the schedule for grants related to preventing suicide by firearm under s. 51.73.

8 **SECTION 3. Effective date.**

9 (1) This act takes effect on the day after publication, or on the 2nd day after
10 publication of the 2023 biennial budget act, whichever is later.

11 (END)