LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1075 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Screening.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Andrade BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State & Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> This bill requires each school corporation and charter school to develop a plan to conduct developmentally appropriate evidence based:

(1) Mental health screening; and

(2) Substance use disorder screening;

for students in kindergarten through grade 12.

The bill also establishes notification, consent, and data destruction requirements. It requires the Department of Education to make available to school corporations and charter schools developmentally appropriate evidence based mental health screening and substance use disorder screening tools and resources.

Effective Date: July 1, 2026.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The bill requires the Department of Education (DOE) to consult with the Division of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHA) to select screening tools and other resources that will be made available to public schools. This is an expenditure increase ultimately dependent on the screener or tools adopted by DOE and DMHA. To the extent the agencies utilize existing resources from the School Health Assessment and Performance Evaluation System's Screening and Assessment Library to find free or low-cost screening and assessment tools, expenditures can be minimized. Additional resources and federal funds may also be available from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Beginning in FY 2027, public schools will experience a workload increase to implement the mental health and substance use disorder screeners adopted by DOE and DMHA.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Department of Education; Family Social Services Administration.

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Local Agencies Affected: Public schools.

<u>Information Sources:</u> School Health Assessment and Performance Evaluation System's Screening and Assessment Library; https://theshapesystem.com/assessmentlibrary/.

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