

# HOUSE BILL NO. 5741

May 23, 2024, Introduced by Reps. Harris, Borton, BeGole, Rigas, Outman, Markkanen, Alexander, Martin, DeBoyer, Rheingans, Bezotte, Beson, Johnsen, Paiz, Conlin, Hill, Mentzer, Prestin, Neyer, Aragona, Dievendorf and VanderWall and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled  
"The revised school code,"  
by amending section 1170a (MCL 380.1170a), as added by 2016 PA 388.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 1170a. (1) ~~By not later than the 2017-2018 school year,~~  
2 ~~the~~ **The** department shall ensure that the **recommended** model core  
3 academic curriculum content standards for health education and the  
4 ~~subject area content expectations and guidelines~~ for health  
5 education ~~under~~ **described in** section 1278a provide for all of the

1 following:

2 (a) Instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation for pupils  
 3 enrolled in grades 7 to 12. Subject to subsection (5), the content  
 4 standards and ~~subject area content expectations shall~~ **guidelines**  
 5 **must** ensure that the psychomotor skills necessary to perform  
 6 cardiopulmonary resuscitation are incorporated into the  
 7 instruction. ~~and that the instruction is~~ **For pupils who are able to**  
 8 **physically participate, the psychomotor skills necessary to perform**  
 9 **cardiopulmonary resuscitation must be incorporated into the**  
 10 **instruction described in this subdivision through the provision of**  
 11 **hands-on training. The instruction described in this subdivision**  
 12 **must be** based on either of the following:

13 (i) An instructional program developed by the American Red  
 14 Cross or the American Heart Association.

15 (ii) Nationally recognized, evidence-based guidelines for  
 16 cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

17 (b) Instruction about automated external defibrillators for  
 18 pupils enrolled in grades 7 to 12.

19 (c) **Instruction developed by the Stop the Bleed program or the**  
 20 **American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma or determined**  
 21 **appropriate by the department concerning the use of first aid**  
 22 **response kits. For pupils who are able to physically participate,**  
 23 **the instruction described in this subdivision must be through the**  
 24 **provision of hands-on training. The first aid response kits**  
 25 **described in this subdivision must be kits that include in them at**  
 26 **least all of the following:**

27 (i) A tourniquet.

28 (ii) Bleeding control dressings.

29 (iii) Compression bandages.

1 (iv) Protective gloves.

2 (v) A marker.

3 (vi) A copy of instructions on the use of the kit as described  
4 in this subdivision.

5 (2) The content standards or ~~subject area content expectations~~  
6 ~~and~~ guidelines under subsection (1) ~~shall~~ **must** not require a  
7 certificated teacher to be an authorized CPR/AED instructor to  
8 facilitate, provide, or oversee instruction described in subsection  
9 (1)(a) if that instruction does not result in a pupil earning a CPR  
10 certification card or status.

11 (3) If instruction described in subsection (1)(a) will result  
12 in a pupil earning a CPR certification card or status, that  
13 instruction must be taught by an authorized CPR/AED instructor, as  
14 applicable.

15 (4) School districts, public school academies, and nonpublic  
16 schools are encouraged to use locally available resources to  
17 provide the instruction required to meet the content standards or  
18 ~~subject area content expectations and~~ guidelines under subsection  
19 (1), including, but not limited to, emergency medical technicians,  
20 paramedics, police officers, firefighters, representatives of the  
21 American Heart Association or American Red Cross, or properly  
22 trained teachers or other school employees.

23 (5) The content standards ~~and subject area content~~  
24 ~~expectations~~ and guidelines required under subsection (1) ~~shall~~  
25 **must** provide that a school or program that provides 100% online  
26 instruction is exempt from having to incorporate psychomotor skills  
27 into the instruction under this section.

28 (6) As used in this section:

29 (a) "Authorized CPR/AED instructor" means an instructor who is

1 authorized by the American Heart Association, American Red Cross,  
2 or a similar nationally recognized association to provide  
3 instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that results in the  
4 issuance of a CPR certification card or status.

5 (b) "CPR certification card or status" means a card or other  
6 credential evidencing successful completion of instruction in  
7 cardiopulmonary resuscitation that is issued by the American Heart  
8 Association, American Red Cross, or a similar nationally recognized  
9 organization using evidence-based guidelines for the teaching of  
10 cardiopulmonary resuscitation.