

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H. 3725**

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TO:	The Honorable Phillip D. Owens, Chairperson, House Education and Public Works Committee		
FROM:	State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board		
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SUBJECT:	Epinephrine auto-injectors for Schools		

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ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Minimal (Some additional costs expected but can be absorbed)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

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**BILL SUMMARY:**

House Bill 3725 amends Article 1, Chapter 63, Title 59 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 59-63-95 which requires the Department of Health & Environmental Control, in cooperation with school (public and private) authorities, to develop guidelines and implement a plan related to the accessibility and use of epinephrine auto-injectors in schools under certain circumstances (allergic reactions).

**EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:**

Department of Health & Environmental Control

The Department reports that this Bill will have minimal impact on agency operating costs. Therefore, there would be no impact on the State General Fund or on Federal and/or Other funds.

Educational Institutions

The State Department of Education, School for the Deaf and Blind, Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School and John de la Howe School project minimal impact to the agencies that can be absorbed within current resources.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:**

None.

**SPECIAL NOTES:**

None.

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