

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
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103rd GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

DAILY

Synopsis of Legislation

Legislation Passed Both Houses with Last Action

For day of May 17, 2024

HB 00478 Rep. Angelica Guerrero-Cuellar-Aaron M. Ortiz-Cyril Nichols-John M. Cabello
(Sen. Mike Porfirio-Javier L. Cervantes, Michael W. Halpin, Sara Feigenholtz, Suzy Glowiak Hilton, Meg Loughran Cappel, Rachel Ventura-Bill Cunningham-Willie Preston-Patrick J. Joyce, Paul Faraci, Christopher Belt, Michael E. Hastings, Karina Villa and Mary Edly-Allen)

50 ILCS 150/1

Amends the Local Government Travel Expense Control Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the short title.

House Floor Amendment No. 1

Deletes reference to:

740 ILCS 10/1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Authorizes the Adjutant General for Illinois to convey to the City of Chicago the described parcel of land in Cook County upon payment of \$1.00, subject to specified conditions. Effective immediately.

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HB 04653 Rep. Michelle Mussman, Joyce Mason, Laura Faver Dias, Katie Stuart, Rita Mayfield, Janet Yang Rohr and Emanuel "Chris" Welch
(Sen. Ram Villivalam)

105 ILCS 5/3-11

105 ILCS 5/10-22.39

105 ILCS 5/34-18.82

Amends the School Code. Makes stylistic changes in provisions concerning institutes or inservice training workshops. In provisions concerning inservice training programs, removes the requirement that the training regarding health conditions of students include the chronic health conditions of students and provides that school district employees who are trained to respond to trauma under the provisions shall be immune from civil liability in the use of a trauma kit unless the action constitutes willful or wanton misconduct. Provides that training regarding the implementation of trauma-informed practices under the provisions concerning institutes or inservice training workshops satisfies the requirements under the provisions concerning inservice training programs. Removes certain provisions that require a school board to conduct inservice training for all school district employees on the methods to respond to trauma. Makes technical changes having a revisory function. Effective January 1, 2025.

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HB 04813 Rep. Yolonda Morris-Carol Ammons-Jawaharial Williams-Camille Y. Lilly, Emanuel "Chris" Welch, Lilian Jiménez, Norma Hernandez, Kimberly Du Buclet, Dave Vella, Katie Stuart, Laura Faver Dias, Maura Hirschauer, Will Guzzardi, La Shawn K. Ford, Mary Gill, Sharon Chung, Rita Mayfield, Matt Hanson, Thaddeus Jones, Dagmara Avelar, Curtis J. Tarver, II and Debbie Meyers-Martin
(Sen. Elgie R. Sims, Jr.)

30 ILCS 587/25

Amends the Information Technology Accessibility Act. Provides that the Department of Innovation and Technology (currently, the Department of Human Services) shall review certain accessibility standards. Removes a specific reference to the Department of Central Management Services. Effective immediately.

May 17 24 H Passed Both Houses

HB 04939 Rep. Katie Stuart
(Sen. Laura M. Murphy)

15 ILCS 320/21

from Ch. 128, par. 121

Amends the State Library Act. Provides that the term "publication" does not include reports, documents, or other publications of a public institution of higher learning, except to the extent that the State Librarian, by rule, requires the report, document, or publication to be deposited with the State Library. Effective immediately.

May 17 24 H Passed Both Houses

SB 03116 Sen. Julie A. Morrison, Mary Edly-Allen and Jason Plummer
(Rep. Camille Y. Lilly, Yolonda Morris and Rita Mayfield)

20 ILCS 2310/2310-711 new

20 ILCS 2605/2605-51

50 ILCS 705/10.25 new

Amends the Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that the Department of Public Health shall establish a program to train EMS personnel, State police officers, and law enforcement officers to access a cell phone's medical identification or medical information application. Amends the Illinois State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois and the Illinois Police Training Act providing that the State police officers and law enforcement officers are required to participate in the in-service training established by the Department of Public Health for training in accessing a cell phone's medical identification or medical information application. Effective January 1, 2025.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that the Department of Public Health shall require and conduct a program to train EMS personnel to access a cell phone's medical identification or medical information application. Requires the Department to adopt rules to implement the provisions. Provides that EMS personnel may not be charged any fee for training required under the provisions and may not be required to complete the training until at least 6 months after adoption of rules under the provisions. Amends the Illinois State Police Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois and the Illinois Police Training Act requiring similar training of Illinois State Police officers and law enforcement officers, but allows the Illinois State Police and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board to develop a training program based upon the Department of Public Health's training program. Effective January 1, 2025.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03134 Sen. Doris Turner and Adriane Johnson
(Rep. Mary Beth Canty)

210 ILCS 50/3.40

Amends the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. Provides that when the Director of Public Health or the Director's designee does not stay an immediate suspension order, the Director or the Director's designee shall identify whether the suspension shall immediately apply to statewide participation. Effective immediately.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. Provides that when an immediate suspension order is not stayed, the Director or the Director's designee within the Department of Public Health (instead of the Director or Director's designee) shall identify if that suspension shall immediately apply to statewide participation only in situations when a licensee has been charged with a crime while performing the licensee's official duties as an EMR, EMD, EMT, EMT-I, A-EMT, Paramedic, ECRN, TNS, PHRN, LI, PHPA, or PHAPRN and the licensee's continuation to practice poses the possibility of imminent harm to the public based off factual evidence provided to the Department (instead of only in situations when a licensee's continuation to practice poses the possibility of imminent harm to the public based off factual evidence provided to the Department). Effective immediately.

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SB 03138 Sen. Sara Feigenholtz, John F. Curran, Rachel Ventura and Mary Edly-Allen
 (Rep. Kam Buckner-Carol Ammons)

20 ILCS 505/8 from Ch. 23, par. 5008

Amends the Children and Family Services Act. In a provision requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to award post-secondary education scholarships and fee waivers to eligible students, removes a provision that conditions the renewal of awarded scholarships and fee waivers on students continuing to work toward graduation. Instead provides that while students shall not be required to maintain a specified minimum grade point average to continue to receive scholarships and fee waivers, students must be making satisfactory progress toward completing their degree at a community college, university, or college. Requires the Department to adopt rules identifying the criteria for "satisfactory progress toward completing a degree" (rather than the criteria for "continuing to work toward graduation"). Removes a provision requiring a community college or public university that an applicant attends to waive any tuition and fee amounts that exceed the amounts paid to the applicant under the State's Monetary Award Program. Effective immediately.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Children and Family Services Act. In a provision providing that post-secondary education scholarships and fee waivers awarded to eligible students by the Department of Children and Family Services shall be available to students for at least 5 years, provides that such scholarships shall be available so long as the eligible students are continuing to work toward graduation and completion of a certificate or degree program (rather than so long as the eligible students are continuing to work toward graduation). Removes a provision requiring a community college or public university that a scholarship applicant attends to waive any tuition and fee amounts that exceed the amounts paid to the applicant under the federal Pell Grant Program. Provides that tuition and fee waivers shall be available to a student for at least the first 5 years the student is enrolled in a community college, university, or college maintained by the State of Illinois so long as the student continues to work toward graduation and completion of a certificate or degree program (rather than makes satisfactory progress toward completing the student's degree). Effective immediately.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03164 Sen. Mary Edly-Allen and Laura M. Murphy
 (Rep. Nabeela Syed)

105 ILCS 5/2-3.64a-15

Amends the School Code. In provisions concerning restrictions on prekindergarten through grade 2 assessments, provides that the term "diagnostic and screening purposes" includes to determine eligibility for advanced academic programs, as defined in the Gifted and Talented Children and Children Eligible for Accelerated Placement Article of the Code. Effective immediately.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03165 Sen. David Koehler, Adriane Johnson, Mary Edly-Allen and Michael E. Hastings
 (Rep. Sharon Chung, Camille Y. Lilly, Dagmara Avelar and Joyce Mason)

5 ILCS 140/7.5

415 ILCS 180/10

415 ILCS 180/20

Amends the Statewide Recycling Needs Assessment Act. Requires the competitive solicitation issued by the Environmental Protection Agency for the statewide needs assessment, as well as the contract executed for that purpose by the Agency and the consultant, to specify that the data or information received by the consultant and Agency are to be used exclusively for purposes of the assessment. Provides that persons with data or information required to complete the statewide needs assessment shall provide an independent accounting firm selected by the Agency (rather than the Agency) with firm data or information to assist in completing the assessment. Requires the independent accounting firm to enter into a nondisclosure agreement with each person who provides data or information that is required to complete the assessment. Provides that any person aggrieved by a violation of the terms and conditions of a nondisclosure agreement may institute a civil action to recover damages. Defines "nondisclosure agreement". Makes a conforming change in the Freedom of Information Act. Effective immediately.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2

In a provision regarding selecting a qualified consultant to conduct a statewide needs assessment to assess certain recycling and other conditions, provides that the Agency shall select the consultant on or before January 1, 2025 (rather than July 1, 2024). Provides that the Agency shall provide the draft needs assessment to the Advisory Council on or before June 30, 2026 (rather than December 31, 2025). Provides that the needs assessment shall be finalized on or before November 1, 2026 (rather than May 1, 2026).

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SB 03174 Sen. David Koehler, Jil Tracy and Mattie Hunter
 (Rep. Debbie Meyers-Martin)

20 ILCS 4125/15

Amends the Illinois Underground Railroad Task Force Act. Requires the Task Force to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly and the Governor on or before December 31, 2024 (rather than July 1, 2024).

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03175 Sen. Michael E. Hastings, Rachel Ventura and Patrick J. Joyce
 (Rep. Debbie Meyers-Martin and Anna Moeller)

20 ILCS 2705/2705-621 new

Amends the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that, on or before July 1, 2025, the Department of Transportation shall create and implement a Type II Noise Suppression Program to provide noise abatement on existing highways in the State. Provides that, on or before July 1, 2025, the Department shall provide notice to the General Assembly that the Noise Suppression system has been activated. Effective July 1, 2024.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that, on or before July 1, 2025, the Department of Transportation may, subject to appropriation, create and implement a Type II Noise Suppression Program to provide noise abatement on existing highways in the State. Effective July 1, 2024.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03202 Sen. Natalie Toro, Laura Fine and Laura M. Murphy-Sara Feigenholtz
 (Rep. Lindsey LaPointe and Camille Y. Lilly)

605 ILCS 30/4.1 new

Amends the Bikeway Act. Provides that a municipality or county may prepare a bicycle transportation plan. Specifies the information that must be included in the plan. Defines terms.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03207 Sen. Jil Tracy, Sally J. Turner, Neil Anderson-Erica Harriss, Andrew S. Chesney, Win Stoller, Tom Bennett and Laura M. Murphy

(Rep. Randy E. Frese-William "Will" Davis-Dan Swanson, Jason Bunting, Jennifer Sanalidro, Margaret Croke, Jed Davis, Dave Severin, Dan Ugaste, Joyce Mason, Mary Beth Canty, Maura Hirschauer, Laura Faver Dias and Maurice A. West, II)

225 ILCS 10/2.09 from Ch. 23, par. 2212.09

225 ILCS 10/5.12 new

Amends the Child Care Act of 1969. Provides that a day care center may operate for 24 hours or longer and may provide care for a child for a period of up to 12 hours if the parent or guardian of the child is employed in a position that requires regularly scheduled shifts and a 10-hour period elapses between day care visits. Provides that the Department of Children and Family Services shall adopt rules necessary to implement and administer the provisions. Makes a conforming change.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03209 Sen. Karina Villa
 (Rep. Tracy Katz Muhl-Anna Moeller-Will Guzzardi-Dagmara Avelar-Kam Buckner, Anne Stava-Murray, Maura Hirschauer, Kelly M. Cassidy, Robert "Bob" Rita, Katie Stuart, Justin Slaughter, Theresa Mah, Hoan Huynh, Norma Hernandez, Travis Weaver, Amy Elik, Gregg Johnson, Curtis J. Tarver, II, Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz, Kevin John Olickal, Mary Beth Canty, Diane Blair-Sherlock, Kimberly Du Buclet, Dave Vella, Joyce Mason, Sonya M. Harper, Michael J. Kelly, Emanuel "Chris" Welch and Camille Y. Lilly)

35 ILCS 200/15-65

Amends the Property Tax Code. In provisions concerning charitable exemptions granted to limited liability companies, removes a requirement that the limited liability company must be a disregarded entity for federal and Illinois income tax purposes. Effective immediately.

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SB 03211 Sen. Javier L. Cervantes-Lakesia Collins, Mary Edly-Allen and Kimberly A. Lightford
 (Rep. Lindsey LaPointe-Bob Morgan-Mary Beth Canty-Laura Faver Dias, Suzanne M. Ness and Janet Yang Rohr)

225 ILCS 55/65 from Ch. 111, par. 8351-65

Amends the Marriage and Family Therapy Licensing Act. Provides that the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation may issue a license as a licensed marriage and family therapist, without the required examination, to an applicant who is currently registered, certified, or licensed to practice marriage and family therapy in another state, territory, or jurisdiction (rather than the requirements for licensure in another state or territory must be substantially equivalent to the requirements of the Act or the person must have possessed individual qualifications at the time of applying for licensure that were substantially equivalent to the requirements then in force in this State), submits an application on a form that is approved by the Department, and pays the application fee set by the Department. Provides that an individual applying for licensure as a licensed marriage and family therapist who has been licensed at the independent level in another United States jurisdiction without discipline (rather than 5 years without discipline) is not required to submit proof of completion of the education, professional experience, and supervision otherwise required. Makes conforming changes.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Marriage and Family Therapy Licensing Act. Provides that an individual applying for licensure as a licensed marriage and family therapist who has been licensed without discipline at the independent level in another United States jurisdiction for at least 30 months during the 5 consecutive years preceding application (rather than for 5 consecutive years) is not required to submit proof of completion of the education, professional experience, and supervision required under a specified provision of the Act.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03232 Sen. Sara Feigenholtz
 (Rep. Ann M. Williams, Anthony DeLuca and Dave Vella)

325 ILCS 2/20

325 ILCS 2/50

Amends the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act. In a provision concerning hospital procedures with respect to a relinquished infant, provides that if a person who relinquished or a person claiming to be the parent of a newborn infant returns to reclaim the infant within 30 days after the infant was relinquished to a hospital, the hospital must inform such person of the name and contact information of the child welfare agency to whom custody of the infant was transferred. In a provision concerning child welfare agency procedures, requires the Department of Children and Family Services and child welfare agencies to initiate parental termination, guardianship, and adoption proceedings in accordance with the Adoption Act (rather than the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act).

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1

Deletes reference to:

325 ILCS 2/50

Removes an amendatory change made in the introduced bill that requires the Department of Children and Family Services or a child welfare agency to obtain consent of an infant's adoption in accordance with the Adoption Act (rather than with the Abandoned Newborn Infant Protection Act).

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03239 Sen. Christopher Belt
 (Rep. Jenn Ladisch Douglass-Kelly M. Cassidy)

410 ILCS 525/3 from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 6703

410 ILCS 525/4 from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 6704

410 ILCS 525/6 from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 6706

410 ILCS 525/9 from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 6709

410 ILCS 525/13 from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 6713

410 ILCS 525/5 rep.

Amends the Illinois Health and Hazardous Substances Registry Act. Repeals provisions relating to the Health and Hazardous Substances Coordinating Council.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03275 Sen. Linda Holmes and Andrew S. Chesney
(Rep. Stephanie A. Kifowit)

35 ILCS 200/31-5

35 ILCS 200/31-15

Amends the Real Estate Transfer Tax Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that paper revenue stamps shall be phased out by December 31, 2025. Requires counties to issue electronic revenue stamps or alternative indicia thereafter. Effective immediately.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03277 Sen. Tom Bennett-Julie A. Morrison and Andrew S. Chesney
(Rep. Aaron M. Ortiz)

20 ILCS 2310/2310-730 new

Amends the Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Directs the Department of Public Health, in conjunction with others, to develop mandatory protocols and best practices for providing the necessary medical guidance for Duchenne muscular dystrophy. Provides that the protocols and best practices developed by the Department shall: (i) be published on a designated and publicly accessible Internet website; (ii) include up-to-date information about Duchenne muscular dystrophy; (iii) reference peer-reviewed scientific research articles; (iv) incorporate guidance and recommendations from the National Institutes of Health and any other persons or entities determined by the Department to have particular expertise in Duchenne muscular dystrophy; and (v) be distributed to physicians, other health care professionals and providers, and persons subject to Duchenne muscular dystrophy. Provides that the Department shall prepare a report of all efforts undertaken by the Department under the Act. Provides that the report under this Act shall be posted on the Department's Internet website and distributed to local health departments and to any other facilities as determined by the Department.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Provides that the requirement for the Department of Public Health to develop mandatory protocols and best practices for providing the necessary medical guidance for Duchenne muscular dystrophy is subject to appropriation.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03279 Sen. Karina Villa
(Rep. Maura Hirschauer and Dan Ugaste)

420 ILCS 42/32

Amends the Uranium and Thorium Mill Tailings Control Act. Provides that the Illinois Emergency Management Agency and Office of Homeland Security may approve a request for license termination following adoption and implantation by the municipality or county in which the material milling facility is located of one or more ordinances restricting the use of groundwater on the property that has been licensed for the milling of source material and any property downgradient from that property if the ordinance ensures public health and safety and is in effect at the time of license termination. Requires the ordinances adopted for the purpose of terminating a license to remain in effect until the Agency approves in writing that the ordinances are no longer needed.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03297 Sen. Mike Simmons, Mary Edly-Allen and Laura Fine
(Rep. Maurice A. West, II, Camille Y. Lilly, Lindsey LaPointe, Suzanne M. Ness and Yolonda Morris)

405 ILCS 125/10

Amends the Housing is Recovery Pilot Program Act. Provides that an individual is eligible to receive a Housing is Recovery bridge rental subsidy for purposes of stabilizing his or her mental illness or substance use disorder if: (1) the individual is at high risk of unnecessary institutionalization who is 18 (rather than 21) years of age or older, or is aging out of guardianship under the Department of Children and Family Services, and who is eligible to enroll in, or is enrolled in, Medicaid for purposes of receiving mental health treatment; or (2) an individual at high risk of overdose who is 18 (rather than 21) years of age or older, or is aging out of guardianship under the Department of Children and Family Services, and who is eligible to enroll in, or is enrolled in, Medicaid for purposes of receiving substance use treatment.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03318

Sen. Laura M. Murphy, Sue Rezin, Paul Faraci-Julie A. Morrison, Adriane Johnson, Bill Cunningham, Mary Edly-Allen, Laura Fine, Javier L. Cervantes, Patrick J. Joyce, Sally J. Turner, Napoleon Harris, III, Celina Villanueva and Sara Feigenholtz

(Rep. Mary Gill-Harry Benton-Natalie A. Manley-Patrick Sheehan, Diane Blair-Sherlock, Katie Stuart, Kelly M. Cassidy, Maurice A. West, II, Yolonda Morris, Barbara Hernandez, Suzanne M. Ness, Janet Yang Rohr, Will Guzzardi, Anne Stava-Murray, Michelle Mussman, Nabeela Syed, Joyce Mason, Dagmara Avelar, Martin J. Moylan, Anthony DeLuca, Ann M. Williams, Margaret Croke, Tracy Katz Muhl, Angelica Guerrero-Cuellar, Matt Hanson, Gregg Johnson, Amy L. Grant, Kevin John Olickal, Camille Y. Lilly, Sharon Chung and Jenn Ladisch Douglass)

5 ILCS 375/6.11D new

Amends the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971. Requires the State Employees Group Insurance Program to provide coverage for all FDA-approved treatments or medications prescribed to slow the progression of Alzheimer's Disease or another related dementia, as determined by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all its branches. Provides that diagnostic testing necessary for a physician to determine the appropriate use of treatments or medications shall be covered by the State Employees Group Insurance Program.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause with the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. In a provision regarding coverage for Alzheimer's Disease or other related dementia, limits the provision to beginning on July 1, 2025 (rather than January 1, 2025). Requires FDA-approved treatments or medications prescribed to slow the progression of Alzheimer's Disease or another related dementia to be medically necessary in order to qualify for coverage under the State Employees Group Insurance Program. Adds a specific prohibition on step therapy for treatment of Alzheimer's Disease or another related dementia.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03350

Sen. Laura Ellman, Karina Villa-Sally J. Turner, Adriane Johnson, Mary Edly-Allen, Javier L. Cervantes and Willie Preston

(Rep. Tony M. McCombie-Terra Costa Howard-Norine K. Hammond, Lindsey LaPointe, Kelly M. Cassidy, Matt Hanson, Brad Stephens, Jeff Keicher, Amy L. Grant, Nicole La Ha, Jennifer Sanalidro, Martin McLaughlin, Jason Bunting and Paul Jacobs)

20 ILCS 301/5-23

410 ILCS 710/5

Amends the Substance Use Disorder Act. Provides that the Department of Human Services may establish or authorize a program for dispensing and distributing fentanyl test strips. Provides that the Department may acquire fentanyl test strips, train individuals in the use of fentanyl test strips, and distribute fentanyl test strips. Provides that the Department may award grants for the purchasing and distributing of fentanyl test strips. Requires every law enforcement agency and fire department that responds to emergency medical calls to possess fentanyl test strips and to distribute fentanyl test strips to the public at no charge. Permits law enforcement agencies and relevant fire departments to apply to the Department for grants to fund acquisition of fentanyl test strips and related training programs. Requires every health care facility to possess fentanyl test strips and to make available fentanyl test strips to the public. Amends the Overdose Prevention and Harm Reduction Act. Adds fentanyl test strips to the needle and hypodermic syringe access program.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 2

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the introduced bill with the following changes. Provides that specified hospitals and other organizations deemed eligible by the Department of Public Health shall be enrolled to receive fentanyl test strips from the Department and distribute fentanyl test strips upon enrollment in the Drug Overdose Prevention Program. Removes a provision requiring every law enforcement agency and fire department that responds to emergency medical calls to possess fentanyl test strips and to distribute fentanyl test strips to the public at no charge. Removes a provision requiring every health care facility to possess fentanyl test strips and to make available fentanyl test strips to the public. Provides that the needle and hypodermic syringe access program shall provide access to fentanyl test strips if feasible.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 3

Adds reference to:

410 ILCS 710/15

Amends the Overdose Prevention and Harm Reduction Act. Provides that a county health department may distribute fentanyl test strips for no fee (now, a county health department may distribute fentanyl test strips at the county health department facility for no fee).

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SB 03353 Sen. Michael W. Halpin, Mary Edly-Allen, Doris Turner, Adriane Johnson, Cristina Castro, Emil Jones, III and Paul Faraci
 (Rep. Gregg Johnson, Kelly M. Cassidy, Dave Vella and Michael J. Kelly)

New Act

Creates the Community-Based Corrections Task Force Act. Creates the Community-Based Corrections Task Force. Establishes membership of the Task Force. Provides that the President of the Senate shall chair the Task Force. Provides that the members of the Task Force shall serve without compensation. Provides that the Department of Corrections shall provide administrative and technical support for the Task Force and is responsible for ensuring that the requirements of the Task Force are met. Provides that the Task Force shall study and develop innovative ways to introduce community-based corrections and rehabilitation into the State's correctional system and develop a community-based correctional program. Provides that the Task Force shall: (1) engage community organizations, interested groups, and members of the public for the purpose of assessing: (A) community-based alternatives to detention and the adoption and implementation of such alternatives; and (B) the benefits of specialty courts in rehabilitating justice involved individuals; (2) review available research and data on the benefits of community-based alternatives to detention at the local, State, and national level; and (3) make recommendations or suggestions for changes to the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963, the Unified Code of Correction, and other relevant statutes. Provides that on or before July 1, 2025, the Task Force shall publish a final report of its findings, developments, and recommendations and after the publication of its final report the Task Force shall be dissolved. Effective immediately.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Changes the General Assembly appointments to the Task Force. Provides that: 4 members appointed by the Senate President, including 2 members of the Senate and 2 members of the public, with one member of the Senate, appointed by the Senate President, to serve as chair of the Task Force; (2) 4 members appointed by the Senate Minority Leader, including 2 members of the Senate and 2 members of the public; (3) 4 members appointed by the Speaker of the House, including 2 members of the Senate and 2 members of the public; and (4) 4 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, including 2 members of the Senate and 2 members of the public.

Senate Floor Amendment No. 4

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the bill as amended by Senate Amendment No. 1. Provides that the Community-Based Corrections Task Force shall study and develop innovative ways to introduce community-based corrections and rehabilitation into the State's correctional system and develop a community-based correctional program that would support or remove barriers to community-based corrections in Illinois, with a focus on pretrial services and those sentenced to probation. Removes from the Community-Based Corrections Task Force a member who represents an organization that advocates for sentencing reform appointed by the Department of Corrections Parole Division. Adds various other members to the Task Force. Provides that appointments to the Task Force shall be made within 90 (rather than 30) days after the effective date of this Act. Provides that the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (rather than the Department of Corrections) shall provide administrative and technical support for the Task Force and is responsible for ensuring that the requirements of the Task Force are met. Provides that on or before December 31, 2025 (rather than on or before July 1, 2025), the Task Force shall publish a final report of its findings, developments, and recommendations and after the publication of its final report the Task Force shall be dissolved. Makes technical changes. Effective immediately.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses

SB 03378 Sen. Adriane Johnson
 (Rep. Maura Hirschauer)

20 ILCS 2310/2310-700

20 ILCS 2310/2310-391 rep.

105 ILCS 5/27-8.1 from Ch. 122, par. 27-8.1

Amends the Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Repeals a requirement for the Department of Public Health to provide to school districts educational materials on meningococcal disease and meningococcal vaccines. Amends the School Code to make conforming changes.

May 17 24 S Passed Both Houses