

SB2235



103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB2235

Introduced 2/10/2023, by Sen. Meg Loughran Cappel

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 145/27

Amends the Care of Students with Diabetes Act. Provides that a school shall maintain a supply of glucagon in any secure location that is immediately accessible to a school nurse or a delegated care aide if a student diagnosed with diabetes attends the school. Provides that schools shall obtain a prescription for glucagon, even if the school is not required to maintain the glucagon.

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STATE MANDATES
ACT MAY REQUIRE
REIMBURSEMENT

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Care of Students with Diabetes Act is
5 amended by changing Section 27 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 145/27)

7 Sec. 27. Undesignated glucagon. A school may maintain a
8 supply of glucagon in any secure location that is immediately
9 accessible to a school nurse or a delegated care aide;
10 however, a school shall maintain a supply of glucagon in any
11 secure location that is immediately accessible to a school
12 nurse or a delegated care aide if a student diagnosed with
13 diabetes attends the school. Schools shall obtain a
14 prescription for glucagon, even if the school is not required
15 to maintain the glucagon. A physician, a physician assistant
16 who has prescriptive authority under Section 7.5 of the
17 Physician Assistant Practice Act of 1987, or an advanced
18 practice registered nurse who has prescriptive authority under
19 Section 65-40 of the Nurse Practice Act may prescribe
20 undesignated glucagon in the name of the school to be
21 maintained for use when necessary. Any supply of undesignated
22 glucagon must be maintained in accordance with the
23 manufacturer's instructions. A school nurse or delegated care

1 aide may administer undesignated glucagon if he or she is
2 authorized to administer the undesignated glucagon through a
3 student's diabetes care plan and if the student's prescribed
4 glucagon is not available on-site or has expired. Immediately
5 after the administration of undesignated glucagon, a school
6 must notify the school nurse, unless the school nurse was the
7 one administering the undesignated glucagon, and the student's
8 parent or guardian or emergency contact, if known, and health
9 care provider of its use.

10 (Source: P.A. 101-428, eff. 8-19-19.)