

HB 1732 -- SELF-ADMINISTERED MEDICATIONS BY STUDENTS (Fraser)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Health Care Policy

Currently, the self-administration of an asthma medication inhaler by students is permissible under certain conditions. This bill revises the law by broadening permissible self-administered medications to include auto-injectible epinephrine for anaphylactic shock. The bill specifies the necessary conditions for self-administration including a written treatment plan, proof that a student has demonstrated the skill required, and a signed liability release for the school.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2007, FY 2008, and FY 2009.