HB 1835 -- School Health Programs

Sponsor: Bland

This bill requires the State Board of Education to establish a Coordinated Health Program Board by January 1, 2009. By January 1, 2010, the health board must make available to every school district a coordinated health program on the prevention of obesity, cardiovascular disease, and type II diabetes in elementary and secondary students. The state board in cooperation with the Department of Health and Senior Services may provide the training, and school districts may participate in the appropriate training and implement the program in each elementary and secondary school in their district.