

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: H.B. 536 of the 130th G.A. **Date**: June 3, 2014

Status: As Introduced Sponsor: Reps. Smith and Antonio

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Contents:

To require that children enrolled in licensed child care facilities be immunized in accordance with a schedule that is based on the schedule recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

State Fiscal Highlights

- The bill requires the Director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) to adopt an immunization schedule for persons aged zero through 18 years. In addition, the bill permits the ODJFS Director to update the schedule to reflect revisions in the schedule adopted by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices. There would be a minimal cost to ODJFS to adopt the immunization schedule and to update the schedule as needed.
- The bill requires all children enrolled in a child day-care center, a type A family day-care home, or a licensed type B family day-care home to be immunized in accordance with the immunization schedule described above. There could be additional costs to ensure these facilities are in compliance with the bill's requirements. According to ODJFS, these facilities are currently inspected as part of their licensure process, and any additional cost is likely to be minimal.

Local Fiscal Highlights

No direct fiscal effect on political subdivisions.

Detailed Fiscal Analysis

The bill requires the Director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) to adopt an immunization schedule for persons aged zero through 18 years, which is to be the exact same schedule as the schedule recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In addition, the bill permits the ODJFS Director to update the schedule to reflect revisions in the schedule adopted by the Advisory Committee. There would be a minimal cost to ODJFS to adopt the immunization schedule and to update the schedule as needed.

The bill requires all children enrolled in a child day-care center, a type-A family day-care home, or a licensed type-B family day-care home to be immunized in accordance with the immunization schedule described above. There could be additional costs to ensure these facilities are in compliance with the bill's requirements. According to ODJFS, these facilities are currently inspected as part of their licensure process, and any additional cost is likely to be minimal.

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