

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2014 Legislative Session

Bill Version: SB 169  
Fiscal Note Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Identifier: SB169-DOA-HPA-02-18-14  
Title: STATEWIDE IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM  
Sponsor: GIESSEL  
Requester: Senate Health & Social Services Committee

Department: Department of Administration  
Appropriation: Centralized Administrative Services  
Allocation: Health Plans Administration  
OMB Component Number: 2152

**Expenditures/Revenues**

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2015 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2015 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>								
Personal Services	***		***	***	***	***	***	***
Travel								
Services								
Commodities								
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
<b>Total Operating</b>	***	<b>0.0</b>	***	***	***	***	***	***

**Fund Source (Operating Only)**

None								
<b>Total</b>	***	<b>0.0</b>	***	***	***	***	***	***

**Positions**

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

<b>Change in Revenues</b>								
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**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2014) cost:** 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*  
*(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)*

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2015) cost:** 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*  
*(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)*

**ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS**

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? no  
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:**

Not applicable, initial version.
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**FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS**

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**Analysis**

SB169 establishes a statewide immunization program. Health insurers and participating providers fund the program by paying an assessment fee. AlaskaCare meets the definition of a government plan, and as such is considered a health care insurer under this bill.

The bill states that the amount of the vaccine assessment fee will be first determined by the Commissioner of the Department of Health and Social Services and determined by the State Vaccine Assessment Commission thereafter. SB169 also includes provisions for data collection and methodology development by the State Vaccine Assessment Commission that will allow the commission to set the amount of the assessment that the Department of Administration would owe under this bill at a future date. As a result, the department is unable to estimate the future assessment that would be set by the Commissioner or the State Vaccine Assessment Commission, and therefore submits an indeterminate fiscal note.