



**House Education Committee Bill
HB 196**

**“An Act Relating to Group Insurance Coverage & Self-Insurance Coverage
for School District Employees; and Providing for an Effective”**

STATE EMPLOYEES POOLED WITH SCHOOL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Source: National Conference of State Legislatures

More than half the states allow, and in a few cases require, state employee health plans to combine with other government employee participants. These include:

Cities, towns and counties. Permitted in AL, CA, HI, IL, LA, ME, MD, MA, MO, NJ, ND, NM, NY, OK, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI.

Universities and colleges. Permitted in CA, HI, IL, LA, MA, NV, NJ, NC, ND, OK, OR TX, WV, MO, UT and WA. 13 other states classify state college employees as state employees and do not list them separately.

Public Schools. Permitted to be included in about 19 states including AR, FL, GA, HI, KY, LA, MS, MO, NV, NJ, NY, NC, OK, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV. Actual practices vary considerably since no state directly runs its public schools.

