

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
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Identifier: SB228-EED-SSA-3-13-26
Title: PUBLIC SCHOOLS; OPIOID AWARENESS PROGRAM
Sponsor: RAUSCHER
Requester: (S) Education

Department: Department of Education and Early Development
Appropriation: Education Support and Admin Services
Allocation: Student and School Achievement
OMB Component Number: 2796

Expenditures/Revenues

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

	FY2027 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2027 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	FY 2032
OPERATING EXPENDITURES								
Personal Services								
Travel								
Services	116.0							
Commodities								
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
Total Operating	116.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund (UGF)	116.0							
Total	116.0	0.0						

Positions

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

Change in Revenues

None								
Total	0.0							

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2026) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2027) cost: 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - 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? Yes
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/27

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill amends AS 14.30 to add section AS 14.30.363. Opioid abuse awareness and prevention curriculum. This added section directs the department to create an opioid abuse awareness and prevention curriculum for implementation in grades six through 12 for implementation in all schools with 60 minutes of annual instruction.

This fiscal note contains the following one-time expenses:

- 1) \$40.0 to contract an education expert to facilitate the curriculum development process;
- 2) \$30.0 for stipends (\$1.5 each) for 20 educators and required community stakeholders for participation in the development of curriculum aligned to the statutory requirements of this bill;
- 3) \$40.0 for committee members to travel for one in-person convening; and,
- 4) \$6.0 for legal fees to implement the necessary regulation changes.

The Department of Education and Early Development plans to hold one in-person convening to begin the work and set expectations for continuing stakeholder engagement meetings with participating educators and community stakeholders virtually. The developed curriculum will be provided digitally for district use.