

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2017 Legislative Session

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| Bill Version:       | SB 79    |
| Fiscal Note Number: | 2        |
| (S) Publish Date:   | 3/6/2017 |

Identifier: DHSS-PHAS-2-24-17  
Title: OPIOIDS;PRESCRIPTIONS;DATABASE;LICENSE  
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Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Health and Social Services  
Appropriation: Public Health  
Allocation: Public Health Administrative Services  
OMB Component Number: 292

## Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

(Thousands of Dollars)

|                        | FY2018<br>Appropriation<br>Requested | Included in<br>Governor's<br>FY2018<br>Request | Out-Year Cost Estimates |            |            |            |            |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2018                              | FY 2018  | FY 2019                 | FY 2020    | FY 2021    | FY 2022    | FY 2023    |
| Personal Services      |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Travel                 |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Services               |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Commodities            |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Capital Outlay         |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Grants & Benefits      |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Miscellaneous          |                                      |  |                         |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total Operating</b> | <b>0.0</b>                           | <b>0.0</b>                                     | <b>0.0</b>              | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

|              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

## Positions

|           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Full-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Part-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Temporary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Change in Revenues

|              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2017) cost:** 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)  
(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2018) 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? Yes  
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 01/01/19

## Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

Not applicable; initial version.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

STATE OF ALASKA  
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This bill addresses the opioid epidemic by improving effective use of the prescription drug monitoring database. The bill influences judicious prescribing of opioids by limiting initial prescriptions and requiring providers to receive minimum training in substance abuse and pain management. This bill also creates a revocable, confidential Voluntary Nonopioid Directive that allows someone in recovery to make clear the person's wishes not to be administered an opioid.

The Department of Health and Social Services would be tasked with implementing the Voluntary Nonopioid Directive Act, establishing regulations, and creating the directive form. A person would provide this confidential information to a health care provider or hospital on a form posted on the Department of Health and Social Services website. No additional appropriation would be required; therefore a zero fiscal note is submitted.