

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 2827
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Request Number:	6991
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Impact:	No Impact;

Subject to availability of funds

Research Analysis

HB 2827, as introduced, requires the State Board of Education to award grants, subject to the availability of funds, to school districts for the purpose of employing school nurses, counselors, and mental health professionals. The annual grants provided by the SBE will pay for half the salary of such positions, the district will be responsible for the other half. Employees funded through the grants must complete a training program prescribed by the SDE.

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Fiscal Analysis

As written, the measure establishes an SDE administered grant for public school districts to access in order to employ school nurses, counselors and mental health professionals. The grant is contingent upon the availability of funds and thus it will not result in an immediate negative fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.