

Department of Planning and Budget

2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB860H1

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: Bell

3. Committee: Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title: Professional use by practitioners; administration of inhaled asthma medication.

5. Summary: Provides that a prescriber may authorize pursuant to a written order or standing protocol issued within the course of the prescriber's professional practice, and with the consent of the student's parents, an employee of (i) a school board, (ii) a school for students with disabilities, or (iii) an accredited private school who is trained in the administration or supervision of self-administered inhaled asthma medications to administer or supervise the self-administration of such medication to a student diagnosed with a condition requiring inhaled asthma medications when the student is believed to be experiencing or about to experience an asthmatic crisis. Such authorization shall be effective only when a licensed nurse, nurse practitioner, physician, or physician assistant is not present to perform the administration of the medication.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Cannot be determined, see item #8.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill, as amended, would not have a state fiscal impact on the Commonwealth, the Department of Health Professions, or the Department of Education. Any fiscal impact to the local school divisions is indeterminate.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: None.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.