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HOUSE BILL NO. 121

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A *BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 22.1-274.2:1, relating to public high school students; allergic reaction awareness training required.*

Patron—Sullivan

Referred to Committee on Education

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 22.1-274.2:1 as follows:

§ 22.1-274.2:1. Public high school students; allergic reaction awareness training required.

Each public high school student shall, within three months of his initial enrollment, complete an in-person or online severe allergic reaction awareness training that includes the following content:

1. The definition of and distinction between normal allergic reaction and anaphylaxis;

2. Types of allergens, including common and less common allergens;

3. The signs and symptoms of normal allergic reaction and anaphylaxis;

4. Treatments for anaphylaxis; and

5. The proper response to suspected anaphylaxis, including notifying the nearest staff member trained to respond to anaphylaxis and administer epinephrine.

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