

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB1017H1

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

**2. Patron:** Wilt

**3. Committee:** Education and Health

**4. Title:** Discharge plans; copies to public elementary and secondary schools.

**5. Summary:** Currently, prior to discharge of any minor admitted to inpatient treatment, including a minor in detention or shelter care pursuant to an order of a juvenile and domestic relations district court, a discharge plan must be prepared and sent to the minor's parents or (ii) if the minor is in the custody of the local department of social services, to the department's director or the director's designee or (iii) to the minor's parents and (a) if the juvenile is to be housed in a detention home upon discharge, to the court in which the petition has been filed and the facility superintendent, or (b) if the minor is in custody of the local department of social services, to the department.

The substitute bill provides that if the minor is a student at a public elementary or secondary school and the facility deems that the discharge of such minor poses a threat of violence or physical harm to self or others, only portions of the discharge plan related to the threat of violence or physical harm shall be provided to the division superintendent upon the completion of the discharge plan. The same would apply for purposes of coordination of services under §37.2-505.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary, see Item 8 below.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** There is no anticipated fiscal impact on the operations of the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services.

The fiscal impact on the Courts system is indeterminate at this time.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Local public schools, Department of Juvenile Justice, Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services Courts.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** No.