



100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2017 and 2018

HB5613

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/10-20.67 new
105 ILCS 5/34-18.60 new

Amends the School Code. Requires school districts to develop and adopt a trauma response protocol by the 2019-2020 school year. Requires the trauma response protocol to include long-term responses to a traumatic incident, long-term care and counseling, and community engagement. Allows school districts to partner with local community providers in establishing and implementing the protocol.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

STATE MANDATES
ACT MAY REQUIRE
REIMBURSEMENT

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Sections
5 10-20.67 and 34-18.60 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/10-20.67 new)

7 Sec. 10-20.67. Trauma response protocol.

8 (a) School districts shall, by the 2019-2020 school year,
9 develop and adopt a trauma response protocol to establish how
10 the school district responds to traumatic incidents. The trauma
11 response protocol shall include a long-term response to a
12 traumatic incident, long-term care and counseling, and
13 community engagement.

14 (b) School districts may partner with local community
15 providers of these services in establishing and implementing
16 the trauma response protocol.

17 (105 ILCS 5/34-18.60 new)

18 Sec. 34-18.60. Trauma response protocol.

19 (a) The board shall, by the 2019-2020 school year, develop
20 and adopt a trauma response protocol to establish how the
21 school district responds to traumatic incidents. The trauma
22 response protocol shall include a long-term response to a

1 traumatic incident, long-term care and counseling, and
2 community engagement.

3 (b) The board may partner with local community providers of
4 these services in establishing and implementing the trauma
5 response protocol.