



## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

**HB5424**

Introduced 1/31/2022, by Rep. La Shawn K. Ford - Deb Conroy -  
Katie Stuart

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

110 ILCS 58/55

Amends the Mental Health Early Action on Campus Act. Provides that the General Assembly shall appropriate \$19,000,000 in Fiscal Year 2023 for the purposes of this Act. Provides that the funds shall be distributed to the public colleges and universities according to the recommendations of a specified report of the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability. Provides that the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability, in conjunction with the Illinois Community College Board and the Board of Higher Education, must make recommendations to the General Assembly on the amounts necessary to implement this Act for Fiscal Years 2024 through 2027, and may make such recommendations for Fiscal Years thereafter. Deletes provisions making the Act subject to appropriation. Effective July 1, 2022.

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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 Mental Health Early Action on Campus Act is  
5 amended by changing Section 55 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 58/55)

7 Sec. 55. Funding. The General Assembly shall appropriate  
8 \$19,000,000 in Fiscal Year 2023 for the purposes of this Act.  
9 The funds shall be distributed to the public colleges and  
10 universities as noted on pages 37-38, and to the Illinois  
11 Board of Higher Education for the Technical Assistance Center  
12 as noted in page 86, of the December 2019 Commission on  
13 Government Forecasting and Accountability report. The  
14 Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability, in  
15 conjunction with the Illinois Community College Board and the  
16 Board of Higher Education, must make recommendations to the  
17 General Assembly on the amounts necessary to implement this  
18 Act for Fiscal Years 2024 through 2027, and may make such  
19 recommendations for Fiscal Years thereafter. The funding  
20 recommendation must be provided by the Commission no later  
21 than December 31, 2022. ~~This Act is subject to appropriation.~~  
22 ~~The Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability,~~  
23 ~~in conjunction with the Illinois Community College Board and~~

1 ~~the Board of Higher Education, must make recommendations to~~  
2 ~~the General Assembly on the amounts necessary to implement~~  
3 ~~this Act. The initial recommendation must be provided by the~~  
4 ~~Commission no later than December 31, 2019. Any appropriation~~  
5 ~~provided in advance of this initial recommendation may be used~~  
6 ~~for planning purposes.~~ No Section of this Act may be funded by  
7 student fees created on or after July 1, 2020. Public colleges  
8 or universities may seek federal funding or private grants, if  
9 available, to support the provisions of this Act.

10 (Source: P.A. 101-251, eff. 8-9-19.)

11 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
12 2022.