

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

4 Section 5. The Mental Health and Developmental
5 Disabilities Administrative Act is amended by adding Section
6 76.2 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 1705/76.2 new)

8 Sec. 76.2. Technical assistance for mental health
9 resources in schools. The Department shall partner with the
10 State Board of Education to provide technical assistance for
11 the provision of mental health care during school days with
12 the goal of increasing the availability and accessibility of
13 mental health resources for students. The Department shall
14 report to the General Assembly on the implementation of this
15 Section no later than July 1, 2025. The Department and the
16 State Board of Education may adopt rules to implement this
17 Section.