

# HB5593



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB5593

by Rep. Lou Lang

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 301/20-25 new

Amends the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act. Provides that all programs serving persons with substance use issues licensed by the Department of Human Services under the Act must provide educational information concerning treatment options for opioid addiction, including the use of a medication for the use of opioid addiction, recognition of and response to opioid overdose, and the use and administration of naloxone, to clients identified as having or seeking treatment for opioid addiction. Provides that the Department shall develop educational materials that are supported by research and updated periodically that must be used by programs to comply with this requirement.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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 Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and  
5 Dependency Act is amended by adding Section 20-25 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 301/20-25 new)

7 Sec. 20-25. Opioid addiction treatment education. All  
8 programs serving persons with substance use issues licensed by  
9 the Department under this Act must provide educational  
10 information concerning treatment options for opioid addiction,  
11 including the use of a medication for the use of opioid  
12 addiction, recognition of and response to opioid overdose, and  
13 the use and administration of naloxone, to clients identified  
14 as having or seeking treatment for opioid addiction. The  
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