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Bill Number:SB1377Patron:HashmiBill Title:Department of Education; mental health first aid training program.

Bill Summary: Directs the Department of Education, in consultation with the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services, to develop a mental health first aid training program consisting of an adult component and an adolescent and youth component. This bill is a recommendation of the Joint Subcommittee to Study Pandemic Response and Preparedness in the Commonwealth.

Budget Amendment Necessary:YesItems Impacted:117Explanation:The Department of Education would have one-time costs to hire contractors to develop the
new training.

Fiscal Summary: The Department of Education estimates \$15,300 in one-time costs.

General Fund Expenditure Impact:

Agency	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	<u>FY2028</u>	FY2029	<u>FY2030</u>
201 (DOE)	\$0	\$15,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL	\$0	\$15,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Analysis: The Department of Education (DOE) anticipates that contractors would need to be hired to develop the training required by this bill at a total estimated cost of \$15,300. This assumes 300 hours of work at \$51 an hour. There is no anticipated impact to the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services.

Other: This bill is identical to HB2637 and SB1381.