Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement

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Bill Number: HB1695E **Patron:** Askew
Bill Title: Public elementary and secondary schools; cardiac emergency response or emergency action plans required.

Bill Summary: Requires each public elementary or secondary school to develop a cardiac emergency response plan (CERP) or an athletic emergency action plan (EAP), as that term is defined by the bill, that addresses the appropriate use of school personnel to respond to incidents involving an individual who is experiencing sudden cardiac arrest or a similar life-threatening emergency while on school grounds and, in the event that such school has an athletic department or organized athletic program, while attending or participating in an athletic practice or event. The bill requires each such CERP or athletic EAP to integrate nationally recognized evidence-based core elements and nationally recognized evidence-based guidelines and to integrate certain provisions and guidelines, including those relating to establishing a cardiac emergency response team, activating such team in response to a sudden cardiac event, and integrating the CERP or athletic EAP into the local community's emergency medical services response protocols.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No **Items Impacted:** None
Explanation: There is no anticipated state fiscal impact, any impact to local school divisions is indeterminate.

Fiscal Summary: See below.

General Fund Expenditure Impact:

Agency	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029	FY2030
None						

Fiscal Analysis: This bill would require local school divisions to develop and implement a cardiac emergency response plan or an athletic emergency action plan. Any impact to local school divisions to develop and implement these plans is indeterminate.

Other: This bill is similar to SB817.