

Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement

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ORIGINAL

Bill Number: HB2649 ER

Patron: Wachsmann

Bill Title: Prescription Monitoring Program; exemptions; licensed narcotic maintenance treatment programs.

Bill Summary: Removes dispensing of covered substances within an appropriately licensed narcotic maintenance treatment program from the list of circumstances that are exempt from the reporting requirements of the Prescription Monitoring Program. The bill specifies that any reporting of information related to dispensing covered substances within a licensed narcotic maintenance program shall comply with applicable federal laws and regulations. The bill has a delayed effective date of July 1, 2026.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: n/a

Explanation: Any fiscal impacts are minimal and can be absorbed with existing resources. This bill does not require that language updates be made to the proposed Appropriation Act.

Fiscal Summary: Any fiscal impacts resulting from this bill are minimal and can be absorbed with existing resources.

Fiscal Analysis: This bill removes licensed narcotics treatment programs from the list of entities which are exempt from reporting the dispensing of covered substances to the Prescription Monitoring Program. The Department of Health Professions may experience minimal fiscal or workload impacts as a result of processing additional reports from these programs; however, it is expected that any such costs can be absorbed with existing resources.

Other: n/a