

# HOUSE BILL No. 4911

June 8, 1989, Introduced by Reps. DeBeaussaert, Gire, Hart, Pitoniak and Stabenow and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

A bill to amend section 6207 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, entitled as amended "Public health code," being section 333.6207 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to add section 6261.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1 Section 1. Section 6207 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts  
2 of 1978, being section 333.6207 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is  
3 amended and section 6261 is added to read as follows:

4 Sec. 6207. With the assistance of the department, the  
5 office shall:

6 (a) Establish a statewide information system for the collec-  
7 tion of statistics, management data, and other information  
8 required for the implementation of this article.

1 (b) Collect, analyze, and disseminate data concerning  
2 substance abuse treatment and rehabilitation services and  
3 prevention services.

4 (c) Prepare, publish, evaluate, and disseminate educational  
5 material as to the nature and effect of alcohol and drugs.

6 (d) Organize, sponsor, and fund training programs for per-  
7 sons directly or indirectly engaged in the treatment, rehabilita-  
8 tion, and prevention of substance abuse.

9 (e) Conduct and provide grant-in-aid funds to conduct  
10 research on the incidence, prevalence, causes, and treatment of  
11 substance abuse and disseminate this information to the public  
12 and to substance abuse services professionals.

13 (F) ADMINISTER AND COORDINATE THE STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM  
14 CREATED IN SECTION 6261.

15 SEC. 6261. (1) THE STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IS CREATED IN  
16 THE OFFICE TO ASSIST SCHOOLS IN IMPLEMENTING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PRO-  
17 GRAMS FOR STUDENTS. UNDER THE PROGRAM, THE OFFICE SHALL AWARD  
18 GRANTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ASSIST IN FUNDING THE COST OF SUB-  
19 STANCE ABUSE TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR FACULTY AND STAFF ACCORDING TO  
20 THE CRITERIA ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS SECTION. THE OFFICE SHALL  
21 EACH YEAR ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM GRANT AMOUNT THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT  
22 MAY RECEIVE DURING THAT YEAR. THE OFFICE MAY PROMULGATE RULES TO  
23 EXPAND LOCAL COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION BY REQUIRING SCHOOL DIS-  
24 TRICTS TO PROVIDE MATCHING FUNDS FROM LOCAL PUBLIC OR PRIVATE  
25 SOURCES.

26 (2) THE OFFICE, IN COOPERATION WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF  
27 COORDINATING AGENCIES, THE DEPARTMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF

1 EDUCATION, MENTAL HEALTH, AND SOCIAL SERVICES, SHALL PROMULGATE  
2 RULES TO ESTABLISH APPLICATION PROCEDURES AND CRITERIA FOR AWARD-  
3 ING GRANTS UNDER THIS SECTION. THE CRITERIA SHALL INCLUDE AT A  
4 MINIMUM ALL OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

5 (A) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS DEVELOPED A COM-  
6 PREHENSIVE POLICY ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE BY STUDENTS THAT MEETS CRI-  
7 TERIA PROMULGATED BY THE OFFICE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. IF POSSI-  
8 BLE, THE SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL ESTABLISH THE POLICY ON A SCHOOL  
9 DISTRICTWIDE BASIS, BUT IS NOT REQUIRED TO IMMEDIATELY IMPLEMENT  
10 THE POLICY AT EACH SCHOOL WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

11 (B) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS OR WILL ESTABLISH  
12 A SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION PROGRAM.

13 (C) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS OR WILL ESTABLISH  
14 A PROGRAM OF ASSESSMENT TO BE CONDUCTED IN ANY DISCIPLINARY CASE,  
15 IN ADDITION TO ANY PUNITIVE MEASURES, TO DETERMINE THE REASONS  
16 FOR THE INVOLVED STUDENT'S ACTIONS AND THE APPROPRIATE REFERRAL,  
17 IF ANY, TO ASSIST THE STUDENT.

18 (D) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS OR WILL ESTABLISH  
19 A PROGRAM OF ASSESSMENT THAT ALLOWS FACULTY AND STAFF INTERVEN-  
20 TION TO ASSESS AND REFER A STUDENT WHO IS NOT SUBJECT TO DISCI-  
21 PLINARY ACTION BUT WHO EXHIBITS BEHAVIOR INDICATING THAT THE STU-  
22 DENT MAY BE AT RISK OF DEVELOPING A SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROBLEM.

23 (E) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS OR WILL ESTABLISH  
24 A PROGRAM OF ASSESSMENT THAT PROVIDES ASSESSMENT AND REFERRAL  
25 SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WHO VOLUNTARILY SEEK ASSISTANCE AND THAT IS  
26 SEPARATE FROM THE PROGRAMS REQUIRED UNDER SUBDIVISIONS (C) AND  
27 (D).

1 (F) THAT ALL REFERRALS MADE UNDER THE PROGRAMS REQUIRED BY  
2 THIS SUBSECTION ARE MADE TO PROGRAMS OR INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE  
3 LICENSED TO PROVIDE THEIR SERVICES UNDER THIS ACT.

4 (G) THAT THE APPLYING SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS OR WILL ESTABLISH  
5 A SUBSTANCE ABUSE POLICY APPLYING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES  
6 THAT COINCIDES WITH THE POLICY REQUIRED UNDER SUBDIVISION (A).

7 (3) THE OFFICE MAY USE MONEY IT RECEIVES FROM ANY SOURCE TO  
8 FUND GRANTS AWARDED UNDER THIS SECTION IF THAT USE IS NOT SPECIF-  
9 ICALLY PROHIBITED.

10 (4) NO LATER THAN 6 MONTHS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS  
11 SECTION, THE OFFICE SHALL DEVELOP A MODEL SCHOOL SUBSTANCE ABUSE  
12 POLICY. THE MODEL POLICY IS FOR GUIDANCE TO HELP A SCHOOL DIS-  
13 TRICT TO DEVELOP ITS OWN POLICY FOR THE PURPOSES OF  
14 SUBSECTION (2)(A), CONSISTENT WITH ITS INSTITUTIONAL GOALS AND  
15 PURPOSES.

16 (5) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "SCHOOL DISTRICT" MEANS A LOCAL  
17 SCHOOL DISTRICT ESTABLISH UNDER PART 2, 3, 4, 5, OR 6 OF THE  
18 SCHOOL CODE OF 1976, ACT NO. 451 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1976,  
19 BEING SECTIONS 380.1 TO 380.1852 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS,  
20 OR A LOCAL ACT SCHOOL DISTRICT.