



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Sub. Bill Comparative Synopsis

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This table summarizes how the latest substitute version of the bill differs from the immediately preceding version. It addresses only the topics on which the two versions differ substantively. It does not list topics on which the two bills are substantively the same.

| Topic | Previous Version (As Introduced) | Sub. Version (LSC 131 0405-1) |
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| Procuring inhalers <i>(R.C. 3313.7113(A), 3313.7114(A), 3314.144(A), 3326.30(A), 3328.30(A), 4729.51, 4729.60, and 5101.77(A))</i> | Permits a school or camp to procure inhalers for use in certain emergency situations. | Same, but also allows a school or camp to procure spacers, holding chambers, or other devices that attach to inhalers. |
| Inhaler policy <i>(R.C. 3313.7113(A) and (D), 3313.7114(A) and (B), 3314.144(A) and (B), 3326.30(A) and (B), 3328.30(A) and (B), and 5101.77(A) and (D))</i> | Requires a school or camp that procures inhalers to adopt a policy governing their maintenance and use. Requires that the inhaler policy include a component consisting of a prescriber-issued protocol that specifies definitive orders for inhalers and the dosages of medication to be administered through them. | Same, but provides that an inhaler policy also governs spacers, holding chambers, or other devices that attach to inhalers. Also requires that the prescriber-issued protocol component of the inhaler policy include the following: (1) The number of times that an inhaler, spacer, |

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| | | <p>holding chamber, or other device may be used before disposal;</p> <p>(2) The methods of disposal.</p> |
| <p>Assistance from emergency services provider</p> <p><i>(R.C. 3313.7113(D)(5) and (6), 3313.7114(B), 3314.144(B), 3326.30(B), 3328.30(B), and 5101.77(D)(5) and (6))</i></p> | <p>Requires the inhaler policy to specify that assistance from an emergency services provider must be requested immediately after an inhaler is used by an authorized employee or contractor.</p> | <p>Same, but provides that assistance need not be requested after a licensed health professional uses an inhaler.</p> |

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