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SENATE BILL 38

**52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2016**

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AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTION IN PSYCHOMOTOR SKILLS-BASED CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION AND THE USE OF AN AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR IN SCHOOLS; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**SECTION 1. [NEW MATERIAL] HEALTH SKILLS INSTRUCTION.--**

A. By September 1, 2016, the secretary of public education shall establish a program pursuant to which a local school district or state-chartered charter school may apply for funding to offer to students in grades seven through twelve training in psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated external defibrillator. The training shall include an instructional program that is nationally recognized and that is based on the

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1 most current national evidence-based emergency cardiovascular  
2 care guidelines for psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary  
3 resuscitation and the use of an automated external  
4 defibrillator.

5 B. The secretary of public education shall adopt  
6 and promulgate rules for implementation of the provisions of  
7 this section, including rules to establish:

8 (1) procedures for monitoring and ensuring  
9 compliance with the provisions of this section;

10 (2) a process pursuant to which a local school  
11 district or state-chartered charter school may apply for and  
12 receive grants pursuant to Section 2 of this act; and

13 (3) a process by which the department oversees  
14 that the grants made pursuant to this section are applied  
15 exclusively to the following purposes:

16 (a) psychomotor skills-based  
17 cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of an automated  
18 external defibrillator training;

19 (b) the purchase of materials necessary  
20 for implementation of psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary  
21 resuscitation and the use of an automated external  
22 defibrillator training;

23 (c) the temporary hiring of a  
24 cardiopulmonary resuscitation instructor or other training  
25 personnel to teach psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary

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1 resuscitation and the use of an automated external  
2 defibrillator; and

3 (d) any additional cost related to the  
4 training of psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary  
5 resuscitation and the use of an automated external  
6 defibrillator pursuant to this section.

7 C. As used in this section, "psychomotor skills-  
8 based cardiopulmonary resuscitation training" means instruction  
9 in cardiopulmonary resuscitation that uses hands-on practice to  
10 support cognitive learning.

11 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars  
12 (\$100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the public  
13 education department for expenditure in fiscal year 2017 to  
14 fund instruction in psychomotor skills-based cardiopulmonary  
15 resuscitation and the use of an automated external  
16 defibrillator in schools pursuant to Section 1 of this act.  
17 Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of  
18 fiscal year 2017 shall revert to the general fund.