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SENATE BILL 241

**51ST LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2014**

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR DRUG  
OVERDOSE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION AND HARM REDUCTION SERVICES.

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

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--**

A. Six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 2015 to fund drug overdose prevention and education and harm reduction services. These funds shall be used for:

(1) providing overdose prevention and education services and dispensing of naloxone at medical agencies and other community-based organizations;

(2) promoting overdose prevention activities, including the training of staff and community partners on

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1 distribution and use of naloxone as well as recruiting and  
2 expanding partner locations to deliver these services; and  
3 (3) the purchase of harm reduction supplies.

4 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining  
5 at the end of fiscal year 2015 shall revert to the general  
6 fund.