

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 427

BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE

VACCINES/VACCINATION: Prohibits the administration of vaccines to minors on school property and at school-sponsored events

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:170(G), relative to the administration of vaccines; to prohibit the
3 administration of vaccines to minors on school property and at school-sponsored
4 events; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 17:170(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

7 §170. Immunization of persons entering schools, kindergartens, colleges,
8 proprietary or vocational schools, and day care centers for the first time;
9 immunization of persons entering sixth grade; electronic transmission of
10 immunization compliance reports

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12 G. No vaccine may be administered to a minor on the property of, or at any
13 event sponsored by, any education institution or facility enumerated in Subsection
14 A of this Section. This Subsection shall not apply to established school-based health
15 clinics.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Prohibits the administration of vaccines to minors on school property and at school-sponsored events.

Present law requires each person entering any school (both public and nonpublic, from daycare through college) for the first time to present satisfactory evidence of immunity to or immunization against vaccine-preventable diseases according to a schedule approved by the office of public health or to present evidence of an immunization program in progress. Exempts students from this requirement upon written dissent or upon a doctor's note relative to medical contraindication.

Proposed law prohibits the administration of vaccines to minors on school property and at school-sponsored events. Exempts school-based health clinics from prohibition.

(Adds R.S. 17:170(G))