

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4227**

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled
"The revised school code,"
(MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1308g.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 **Sec. 1308g. Subject to appropriation, the board of each**
2 **intermediate school district shall designate at least 1 emergency**
3 **and safety manager and at least 1 mental health coordinator. All of**
4 **the following apply to the roles described in this section, as**
5 **applicable:**

6 **(a) An individual designated as an emergency and safety**
7 **manager shall do all of the following:**

8 **(i) Serve as a liaison between state agency school safety**
9 **offices, the emergency management and homeland security division**



1 within the department of state police, emergency management and
2 homeland security district coordinators, local emergency management
3 coordinators, the state fire marshal, public schools and nonpublic
4 schools located within the geographic boundaries of the
5 intermediate school district, and the school safety and mental
6 health commission created under section 6 of the comprehensive
7 school safety plan act, 2018 PA 548, MCL 28.806.

8 (ii) Work with school administrators, local and state emergency
9 management coordinators, and emergency responders to implement
10 prevention programs related to school safety; communicate with
11 parents, legal guardians, and the community about school safety;
12 and handle all safety-related issues concerning schools located in
13 the geographic boundaries of the intermediate school district.

14 (iii) Perform risk assessments of, and provide response training
15 in, the intermediate school district and public schools and
16 nonpublic schools located in the intermediate school district.

17 (iv) Compile data to measure outcomes and performance related
18 to school safety plans, school safety trainings, school safety
19 products, and other school safety measures in the intermediate
20 school district and public schools and nonpublic schools in the
21 geographic boundaries of the intermediate school district.

22 (b) An individual designated as a mental health coordinator
23 shall do all of the following:

24 (i) Coordinate state funding intended to enhance and expand the
25 availability of mental health services and supports for students.

26 (ii) Coordinate the integration of community-based or faith-
27 based mental health services in the intermediate school district
28 and public schools and nonpublic schools located in the geographic
29 boundaries of the intermediate school district and foster



1 partnerships between the intermediate school district, public
2 schools, nonpublic schools, and mental health providers.

3 (iii) Facilitate behavioral health assessment teams.

4 (iv) Develop and implement a comprehensive school-community
5 mental health system.

6 (v) Develop and curate a behavioral health community resource
7 map.

8 (vi) Facilitate and support the deployment of BH-Works, the
9 behavioral health care platform, in the intermediate school
10 district and public schools located in the geographic boundaries of
11 the intermediate school district.

12 (vii) Compile data to measure outcomes and performance of
13 behavioral health programs in the intermediate school district and
14 public schools and nonpublic schools located in the geographic
15 boundaries of the intermediate school district.

16 (viii) Recruit, retain, and develop behavioral health providers
17 for or in the intermediate school district and public schools and
18 nonpublic schools located in the geographic boundaries of the
19 intermediate school district.

20 (ix) Provide training and coaching and coordinate professional
21 learning opportunities in the intermediate school district and
22 public schools and nonpublic schools located in the geographic
23 boundaries of the intermediate school district.

24 (x) Oversee and monitor, in compliance with other laws,
25 Medicaid billing and the Caring for Students (C4S) program as it
26 pertains to the intermediate school district and public schools and
27 nonpublic schools located in the geographic boundaries of the
28 intermediate school district.

29 (xi) Meet and work with school mental health professionals,



1 including, but not limited to, psychologists, social workers,
2 doctors, nurses, athletic trainers, and psychiatrists, to connect
3 the intermediate school district and public schools and nonpublic
4 schools located within the geographic boundaries of the
5 intermediate school district with child and adolescent health
6 centers, state departments and agencies, local governments, social
7 service agencies, and health care organizations to aid in the
8 identification and support of students at risk for behavioral
9 health issues.