

# Legislative Analysis



## MEDICAL SUPPLY STOCKPILE

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**House Bill 5767 as introduced**  
**Sponsor: Rep. Jeff Yarocho**  
**Committee: Health Policy**  
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## SUMMARY:

House Bill 5767 would amend the Emergency Management Act to require the Emergency Management Division<sup>1</sup> to stockpile medical supplies in Michigan's emergency operations centers that are necessary to respond to a state of disaster or state of emergency within the state.

The division would have to display a list of the medical supplies inventory on a free public website. The list would be subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act.

Proposed MCL 30.407b

## BACKGROUND:

The Emergency Management and Homeland Security Division is established in the Department of State Police and is charged with coordinating the emergency management activities of county, state, municipal, and federal governments. The division maintains a state emergency management plan that encompasses mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery for the state.

Additionally, the Division of Emergency Preparedness and Response<sup>2</sup> in the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services maintains a Michigan Strategic National Stockpile (MISNS) program that coordinates with the Strategic National Stockpile, which is maintained by the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

## FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 5767 could increase costs for the Department of State Police by an indeterminate amount. Costs incurred under the bill would be related mainly to stockpile monitoring and storage costs.

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<sup>1</sup> Now known as the Emergency Management and Homeland Security Division (EMHSD),  
[https://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,4643,7-123-72297\\_60152---,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,4643,7-123-72297_60152---,00.html)

<sup>2</sup> [https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71548\\_54783\\_54826\\_56166---,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71548_54783_54826_56166---,00.html)