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Sponsor(s): Representatives Boldt, Dunn and Jackley

Brief Description: Requiring the adoption of policies regarding health evaluations for and the administration of psychotropic drugs in schools.

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Provides that each school district board of directors shall adopt and implement a policy that (1) prohibits any school personnel from recommending the use of psychotropic drugs for any child and (2) requires school personnel to send a letter to a parent or legal guardian recommending that an appropriate medical or behavioral health evaluation be conducted by a licensed physician if school personnel perceive that a child may have a behavioral or psychological problem.