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**HOUSE BILL 2112**

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**By** Representatives Nance, Leavitt, Simmons, Reed, Ormsby, Callan, Rule, Orwall, Paul, Timmons, Lekanoff, Riccelli, Wylie, Reeves, Shavers, Pollet, Kloba, and Davis

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1 AN ACT Relating to opioid and fentanyl prevention education and  
2 awareness at institutions of higher education; and adding a new  
3 section to chapter 28B.10 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10  
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 (1) Each public and private institution of higher education shall  
8 provide opioid and fentanyl prevention education and awareness  
9 information to all students. Education may be offered in person or  
10 electronically. This education must be posted on each institution's  
11 public website for students, parents, and legal guardians to view.

12 (2) Naloxone and fentanyl strips must be made available to  
13 students on campus in various accessible locations such as student  
14 wellness centers, student union buildings, and student housing.

15 (3) Institutions of higher education must provide staff working  
16 in residence halls education and training on administering naloxone.

17 (4) For the purposes of this section, "institutions of higher  
18 education" has the same meaning as defined in RCW 28B.92.030.

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