

## AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An  
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain  
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial  
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the  
5 laws relating thereto," in school health services, providing  
6 for student access to cardiopulmonary resuscitation training  
7 courses.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. The act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known  
11 as the Public School Code of 1949, is amended by adding a  
12 section to read:

13 Section 1425. Student Access to Cardiopulmonary  
14 Resuscitation Training Courses.--(a) Beginning with the 2018-  
15 2019 school year, at least once a semester each school entity  
16 shall provide students in grades nine through twelve with  
17 information regarding local training courses in cardiopulmonary  
18 resuscitation offered by any of the following:

- 19 (1) The American Red Cross.  
20 (2) The American Heart Association.

1 (3) A local emergency management agency.

2 (4) Any other certifying agency approved by the Department  
3 of Health.

4 (b) The information provided under subsection (a) shall  
5 include all of the following for each training course:

6 (1) Name of the certifying agency offering the training  
7 course.

8 (2) Address where the training course is to be held.

9 (3) Dates and times of the training course.

10 (4) Contact information for the training course.

11 (5) Cost of participation in the training course.

12 (c) A school entity may satisfy the requirements of  
13 subsection (a) by making a training course in cardiopulmonary  
14 resuscitation available to students on school premises annually.

15 (d) A school entity may charge students a fee for the cost  
16 of participation in the training course offered under subsection  
17 (c).

18 (e) As used in this section, the term "school entity" means  
19 a school district, an area vocational-technical school, an  
20 intermediate unit, a regional charter school or a charter  
21 school.

22 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.