

HB0423/703921/1

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 423
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after “requiring” insert “, subject to certain conditions.”; and after line 9, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Education

Section 7-426.5(f)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2025 Replacement Volume and 2025 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 17, insert:

“7-426.5.

(f) (1) On or before October 1 each year, each public school shall submit, on the form that the Department requires, a report to the Department on each incident at the school that required the use of naloxone or other overdose-reversing medication.”

On page 2, strike beginning with “**BEGINNING**” in line 5 down through “**STRIPS**” in line 8 and substitute:

“(1) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS IN PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY PROVIDE DRINK SPIKING DETECTION PRODUCTS AND DRUG DETECTION STRIPS TO THEIR STUDENTS.

(2) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, BEGINNING IN THE 2026–2027 SCHOOL YEAR, THE PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL REQUIRE EACH PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN THE COUNTY TO PROVIDE, AT NO COST TO STUDENTS:

(I) DRINK SPIKING DETECTION PRODUCTS; AND

(II) DRUG DETECTION STRIPS, IF A PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN THE COUNTY REPORTS AN INCIDENT AT THE SCHOOL REQUIRING THE USE OF NALOXONE OR OTHER OVERDOSE–REVERSING MEDICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 7-426.5(F)(1) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(3) PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS IN THE COUNTY ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE DRINK SPIKING DETECTION PRODUCTS AND DRUG DETECTION STRIPS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION ONLY IF THE PRODUCTS ARE PROVIDED TO THE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS AT NO COST TO THE SCHOOLS”;

and in line 10, strike “REQUIRED TO BE”.