



**Maryland Association of School Health Nurses**



**Committee:** House Judiciary Committee

**Bill:** House Bill 1006 – Immigration Enforcement - Sensitive Locations - Guidelines and Policies (Protecting Sensitive Locations Act)

**Hearing Date:** February 27, 2025

**Position:** Support with Amendment

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The Maryland Association of School Health Nurses (MASHN) strongly support *House Bill 1006 – Immigration Enforcement – Sensitive Locations – Guidelines and Policies (Protecting Sensitive Locations Act)*. We value the dignity and safety of all of our students and their families. We are concerned about the growing fear among immigrant families about sending their children to school. This legislation could alleviate some of that fear by providing protection from immigrant enforcement in schools, healthcare settings, and other sensitive places. We should be doing everything possible to make students and their families feel safe in this tumultuous environment.

We ask for a favorable report. If we can provide any further information, please contact Robyn Elliott at [relliott@policypartners.net](mailto:relliott@policypartners.net).