

Amendment No. 1 to HJR0996

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AMEND <SB>

House Joint Resolution No. 996*

by deleting the following language:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the department of health is encouraged to provide increased education to parents and care providers for children of the importance of the influenza vaccine.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the department of health is encouraged to consider promulgation of necessary rules requiring that children in licensed daycare must be immunized on an annual basis against influenza, between September 1 and November 1, in accordance with the ACIP recommendations.

And by substituting instead the following:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the department of health is encouraged to provide increased education to parents and care providers for children of the importance of the influenza vaccine, including information on the availability of the vaccine which is unpreserved or with only trace amounts of thimerisol.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the department of health is encouraged to consider promulgation of necessary rules requiring that children in licensed daycare must be immunized on an annual basis against influenza, including information about the vaccine that is available thimerisol-free or with only trace amounts of thimerisol, between September 1 and November 1, in accordance with the ACIP recommendations.