Health Impact Reviews

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Overview

- Health impact review (HIR) overview
- History of health impact reviews
- Lessons learned
- Review process
- Resource needs
- Successes and strengths
Health Impact Reviews
RCW 43.20.285

Proposal

Governor

Legislators

Health

Communities of color

Rural communities

Low-income communities
Health Impact Assessments (HIA)

- Screening
- Scoping
- Assessment
- Recommendations
- Reporting
- Monitoring & Evaluation
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History

2005
Joint Select Committee Recs.

2006
Council and HIR legislation passed

2007–2009
Seven HIRs completed

2009–2012
HIR funding suspended

2013–Present
HIR funding reinstated and seven HIRs completed
Past Health Impact Reviews

- Education
- Language Access
- Financial Development
- Health and Social Services
- Health Care
- Mental Health
- Emergency Response
- Oral Health
Lessons Learned

Format

Outreach
Outreach

Legislators

Governor’s Office

Community Stakeholders

Public Health Community
Outreach
Lessons Learned

Outreach

Format
Review Format

Executive Summary

Analysis of Health Impacts

Annotated References
Review Process

Proposal → Intermediate Outcomes → Health Impacts
Cultural Competency Training

Culturally Relevant Care

Patient Satisfaction

Improved Health/Decreased Health Disparities
Strengths

Empirical Support

Mitigate Harms

Health in All Polices
Questions?

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Completed health impact reviews can be found on the State Board of Health website:
http://sboh.wa.gov/OurWork/HealthImpactReviews.aspx
Prevent indefinite length of exclusionary discipline and ensure educational services

Decreased educational opportunity gaps

Decreased discipline recidivism and curbed school-to-prison pipeline

Decreased student experiences of discrimination

Decreased gaps in educational attainment

Decreased income gaps

Decreased health disparities

Standardize definitions of causes for discipline

Decreased racial/ethnic discipline gaps

Disciplinary data collection/use and data sharing

Decreased health disparities
SHB 1680: Cultural Competence

Cultural competence training for educators

Enhanced cultural competence of educators

Decreased educational opportunity gaps

Decreased gaps in educational attainment

Decreased income gaps

Decreased health disparities
More educators with special education, bilingual education, and English language learner endorsements

Decreased educational opportunity gaps

Decreased gaps in educational attainment

Decreased income gaps

Decreased health disparities

Scholarships and requirements for special education, bilingual education, and English language learner endorsements
New Transitional Bilingual Instructional Program accountability system

→ Decreased educational opportunity gaps

→ Decreased gaps in educational attainment

→ Decreased income gaps

→ Decreased health disparities

SHB 1680: ELL Accountability
Decreased educational opportunity gaps

Decreased gaps in educational attainment

Decreased income gaps

Decreased health disparities

Collection and use of disaggregated data

Improved understanding of and ability to address educational opportunity gaps

Decreased educational opportunity gaps

Decreased gaps in educational attainment

Decreased income gaps

Decreased health disparities
Decreased educational opportunity gaps
Decreased gaps in educational attainment
Decreased income gaps
Decreased health disparities

Update framework of high school career courses for careers in education
Cultural competence standards for articulated pathways/paraeducator certifications
Articulated pathways for teacher preparation and certification

Increased educator cultural competence

More educators of color
Cultural Competency Training leads to Culturally Relevant Care which improves Patient Satisfaction, leading to Improved Health and Decreased Health Disparities.
Restrict sexual orientation change efforts on patients under age 18 → Decreased risk of harm and improved health outcomes for LGBTQ* patients → Decreased health disparities
Training for Compliance Officers

Compliance Officer knowledge of and competency in addressing harassment, intimidation, cyberbullying, and bullying in schools

Decreased bullying in schools

Improved student health outcomes

Improved health outcomes for LGBTQ students, a population at high risk for being bullied

Improved health outcomes for underweight and overweight students, populations at high risk for being bullied

Decreased health disparities
Capital budget partially funds the construction of five community health centers.

New community health centers are built, increasing patient capacity.

Increased access to care for underserved populations.

Increased access to culturally and linguistically appropriate care.

Improved health outcomes for underserved populations.

Decreased health disparities.
SB 5571 (2013–2014)

Mental health awareness and education campaign → Increased awareness and knowledge of mental health issues → Decreased stigma → Positive behavior changes such as increased help-seeking and help-offering → Improved health outcomes → Decreased health disparities
During emergencies first responders can request PERS* customer information.

First responders request PERS customer information and use this to inform emergency responses (check on customers, coordinate special transportation, etc.).

Improved health outcomes among PERS customers during and after emergencies.

PERS customers are likely to be older adults, individuals with disabilities or chronic conditions, and other individuals at high risk during emergencies.

Decreased health disparities.
Two mid-level oral health professions established

Mid-level oral health professionals are licensed and hired in Washington state

Increased access to oral healthcare

Improved oral health outcomes *

Improved overall health

Decreased health disparities

Decreased cost of oral healthcare