

HB 25-1250: GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTION & PARENTS OF STUDENTS

Prime Sponsors:

Rep. Hamrick; Duran

Sen. Cutter

Bill Outcome: Signed into Law

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Fiscal note status: The final fiscal note reflects the enacted bill.

Summary Information

Overview. The bill requires local education providers to distribute materials created by the Office of Gun Violence Prevention to caregivers at the beginning of each school year.

Types of impacts. The bill is projected to affect the following areas on an ongoing basis:

Minimal State Workload

School Districts

Appropriations. No appropriation is required.

Table 1 State Fiscal Impacts

	Budget Year	Out Year
Type of Impact	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27
State Revenue	\$0	\$0
State Expenditures	\$0	\$0
Transferred Funds	\$0	\$0
Change in TABOR Refunds	\$0	\$0
Change in State FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE

Summary of Legislation

The bill requires the Office of Gun Violence Prevention in the Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) to post or link to certain materials on its website for local education providers, including school districts, boards of cooperative services, district charter schools, institute charter schools, approved facility schools, and the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind. Local education providers must distribute these materials to caregivers of elementary and secondary school students at the start of each school year and also post the materials on their website. CDPHE must include an update on the materials in its SMART Act hearing beginning in 2026.

State Expenditures

CDPHE currently maintains a <u>resource bank</u> which contains the required materials. Any workload to update and adjust this information to distribute to educators is assumed to be minimal. Similarly, workload for the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind in the Department of Education will increase to distribute and post the materials. No change in appropriations is required.

School Districts

School districts will distribute information about the resource bank to parents and guardians at the start of each school year and post materials on their website. This workload is assumed to be minimal.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor on June 2, 2025, and takes effect on August 6, 2025, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

Early Childhood Public Health and Environment

Education School Districts