

Healthy Choices for Healthy Children – Substitute Bill Changes

Topic	Senate Bill 210/HB 373 (as introduced)	Am. Sub. Senate Bill 210 As Passed by the Senate
<i>Physical activity</i>	30 minutes per day exclusive of recess exempting athletes, cheerleaders and band	Delays requirement to 2011-12 school year; allows school approved community activities (YMCA, local rec center) before / after school count toward daily 30 minutes; exempts half day K Allows for a waiver if schools feel implementation will present a financial hardship; Exempts career technical, PSEO and e-schools
<i>PE teachers</i>	Certify PE teachers/PE teachers licensed by 2013	Removes certification requirement for PE teachers; grandfathers teachers hired prior to July 2013 from licensure requirement
<i>PE Performance Indicator</i>	Directs ODE to establish a performance indicator for PE	Extends deadline for establishing PE Indicator to be used in ratings issued for 2012-13 school year ODE can accept donations for purpose of establishment
<i>PE credits for HS diploma</i>	Increases from 20 to 20.5 units to graduate with ½ credit required in PE	Removed additional credit requirement
<i>Content of HS health course</i>	No provision	Requires the current ½ unit in health to include nutrition and benefits of physical activity
<i>BMI Measurement</i>	Requires screening of students in K, 3 rd , 5 th , 9 th grades; school can administer or contract or ask parents to obtain screening from pediatrician or family physician. Parents may opt out	Exempts e-schools from BMI provision; Allows for a waiver if schools feel implementation will present a financial hardship
<i>BMI reporting</i>	Aggregate data reported by district to ODE	Removed; aggregate data reported by district to be collected by ODH
<i>Report card data on BMI weight status</i>	Requires school to report percentage of kids whose BMI is below, at or above accepted BMI	Removed
<i>Nutritional standards</i>	Requires schools to adopt nutritional standards	Same and clarifies that both Alliance for Healthier Generations program (HB 60) and/or nutrition density programs comply.
<i>Compliance Check</i>	Requires ODE to determine whether schools are in compliance	Removed
<i>Healthy Choices Council</i>	18 members	Additional members added in response to interested parties requests