

Fiscal Impact Statement

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BILL: HB1468, As Engrossed: H3/13/13
SPONSOR: Hammer

SUBTITLE:

TO REQUIRE BIRTHING FACILITIES TO PERFORM PULSE OXIMETRY SCREENINGS FOR CRITICAL CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE ON NEWBORNS BEFORE DISCHARGE.

TOPIC

√ Pulse Oximetry Screenings

AFFECTED FUNDS

General Revenues

REVENUE IMPACT

√ \$85K

ASSUMPTIONS - BASED ON:

- √ Per this bill the Department of Health would be required to track the pulse oximetry screenings; the cost associated with the tracking, or ERAVE would be \$65K.
- √ Additional requirements of the Department of Health to include the training and technical assistance have been estimated at a cost of \$20K.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

An appropriation may be necessary to fund the Department of Health for their requirements under this bill.

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