



MEMBER ALERT

AB 1227-Human Trafficking

This bill would require that instruction to additionally include information about sexual abuse and to include information about human trafficking instead of sex trafficking. To the extent that this requirement would impose additional duties on school districts, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

AB 1227 requires school districts to include labor and sexual human trafficking prevention education in grades seven through twelve as part of comprehensive sexual health education and requires human trafficking awareness training for school district staff.

- Educators, at least once in middle school and once in high school, to provide instruction to students on human trafficking including:
- The prevalence, nature, and strategies to reduce the risk of human trafficking
- Techniques to set healthy boundaries
- How to safely seek assistance
- Training to be available and conducted periodically to enable school district personnel to learn about new developments in the understanding of abuse, including sexual abuse, and human trafficking, and to receive instruction on current prevention efforts and methods.
- County Offices of Education and County Sheriff's Departments to be represented as part of their local Commercially Sexually Exploited Children (CSEC) Program.

Please see the links below for legislation information:

<https://www.cde.ca.gov/nr/ne/yr18/yr18rel03.asp>

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=201720180AB1227

RESOURCES FOR TRAINING:

<https://protectnow.org/ab1227/learn-more-about-ab1227/>

<https://www.getsaftytrained.com/>