

**UPDATED SUMMARY
SENATE BILL 15-020**

First Regular Session - Seventieth Colorado General Assembly

This summary applies to the reengrossed version of this bill as introduced in the second house. It does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. This summary reflects only the main points of the legislation.

The bill requires the director of the school safety resource center to appoint a person to collect and make available materials and training regarding the awareness and prevention of child sexual abuse and assault, *including materials and training that are specific to preventing sexual abuse and assault of children with developmental disabilities*. The materials must include professional development materials for school personnel and parents and age-appropriate curricula for kindergarten through twelfth grade. The appointed person must also offer in-person and on-line training for school personnel and parents and publicize and make available on-line the materials, training, and curricula. *The training must include information concerning use of the child abuse reporting hotline system*. The appointed person must seek to work with appropriate community-based organizations in creating and collecting the materials, training, and curricula.

Each school district is encouraged to include in its school safety plan a child sexual abuse and prevention plan, and each charter school is encouraged to adopt a child sexual abuse and prevention plan. A plan may include professional development for school personnel and parents, *including information concerning use of the child abuse reporting hotline system*, and age-appropriate curricula for students in kindergarten through twelfth grade.

An educator who receives professional development in the awareness and prevention of child sexual abuse and assault may use the professional development to meet the requirements for renewing his or her educator license.