



Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note
NO FISCAL IMPACT

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Sen. Foster**Bill Status:** House Health and Human Services**Fiscal Analyst:** David Porter (303-866-4375)

TITLE: CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENT THAT A HEALTH CARE FACILITY REPORT INFORMATION IDENTIFYING ANY INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DIVERSION OF INJECTABLE DRUGS THAT WERE INTENDED FOR USE BY PATIENTS OF THE FACILITY.

Summary of Legislation

Under current law, health care facilities are required to report any instance of drugs being diverted from the intended patient and used by other persons. This bill requires that for injectable drugs, the full name and date of birth of the person responsible for diverting the drug must be reported if it is known. The bill is effective upon signature by the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.

Assessment

This bill is assessed at no fiscal impact. The Department of Public Health and Environment currently collects information about health care facilities. The exchange of additional information will not require any significant reporting changes to be made by either the department or health care facilities. As the bill does not create new local or state government revenue or expenditures, it is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Departments Contacted

Public Health and Environment

Corrections

Human Services