HOUSE BILL NO. 5365

January 21, 2020, Introduced by Reps. Cherry, Sneller, Garza, Coleman, Whitsett, Pohutsky, Gay-Dagnogo, Hood, Kennedy, Stone, Rabhi, Ellison, Yancey, Tate, Bolden, Anthony, Manoogian, Hope, Kuppa, Brixie, Sowerby, Guerra, Sabo, Brenda Carter, Hammoud, Clemente, Peterson, Tyrone Carter, Lasinski, Wittenberg, Warren, Jones and Love and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 5474d.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 5474d. (1) Beginning January 1, 2021, a physician
- 2 treating a patient who is a minor shall do both of the following:
- 3 (a) Screen the minor for lead poisoning at the intervals and
- 4 using the methods specified by the department by rule.





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- 1 (b) Make an entry of the screening on the minor's certificate 2 of immunization.
- 3 (2) The department shall promulgate rules to implement this 4 section. The rules must include, but are not limited to, all of the 5 following:
- 6 (a) A requirement that a minor residing in this state is
 7 screened once between the ages of 9 and 12 months old and is
 8 screened again at the ages of 2 and 3 years old.
- 9 (b) The identification of geographic areas in this state that
 10 pose a high risk for childhood lead poisoning and a requirement
 11 that a minor who is 4 years old be screened if the minor resides in
 12 an area described in this subdivision.
 - (c) Factors to identify a minor who is at high risk for lead poisoning. The factors must include, but are not limited to, residing in a home where other minors have been diagnosed with lead poisoning and residing in a home that was built before 1978 that has not undergone a visual inspection for risk assessment.
 - (d) A requirement that a minor is screened at intervals determined by the department if a physician determines that the minor is at high risk for lead poisoning, either by applying the factors described in subdivision (c) or through the physician's own independent medical judgment.
 - (3) This section does not apply to a minor whose parent, guardian, or person in loco parentis objects to a screening on religious grounds.
 - (4) As used in this section, "certificate of immunization" means the certificate described in section 9206.
- Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect unless Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 5363 (request no.



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