

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, FEBRUARY 7, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the
5 laws relating thereto," in high schools, further providing
6 for courses of study.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. Section 1605 of the act of March 10, 1949
10 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, is
11 amended by adding a subsection to read:

12 Section 1605. Courses of Study.--* * *

13 (d) The following shall apply:

14 (1) Beginning in the 2017-2018 school year, during one or
15 more of the last four years of any complete high school program,
16 there shall be included a course of study in cardiopulmonary
17 resuscitation (CPR).

18 (2) Completion of a training course under this subsection,
19 including the testing of skills and knowledge, shall be

1 documented by the signature and title of a representative of the
2 training entity and shall include the date the training course
3 was completed.

4 (3) Completion of a training course under this subsection
5 may be included in the health education curriculum provided
6 under 22 Pa. Code § 4.23(c)(8) (relating to high school
7 education).

8 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.