

Sixty-second
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1229

Introduced by

Representatives Grande, Rohr, Schatz, Hunskor

Senators Luick, O'Connell

1 A BILL ~~for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota~~
2 ~~Century Code, relating to abstinence-based concepts within the school health curriculum.~~for an
3 Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code,
4 relating to health curriculum content.

5 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

6 ~~SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code is created~~
7 ~~and enacted as follows:~~

8 ~~Abstinence-based concepts – Health curriculum.~~

9 ~~Beginning July 1, 2012, each school district shall ensure that its curriculum for health~~
10 ~~includes the exposure of students to abstinence-based concepts.~~

11 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
12 and enacted as follows:

13 Health curriculum - Content.

14 Beginning July 1, 2012, each school district and nonpublic school shall ensure that the
15 portion of its health curriculum which is related to sexual health includes instruction pertaining to
16 the risks associated with adolescent sexual activity and the social, psychological, and physical
17 health gains to be realized by abstaining from sexual activity before and outside of marriage.