

Sixty-third  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2306

Introduced by

Senators Heckaman, Axness, Flakoll, Marcellais, Triplett

Representative Wieland

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-19 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to youth suicide prevention.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-19 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Youth suicide prevention - Training.**

- 7 1. Annually~~Once every two years~~, each school district ~~may~~shall provide to middle school  
8 and high school teachers and administrators at least two hours of professional  
9 development relating to youth suicide risk indicators, appropriate staff responses, and  
10 referral sources.
- 11 2. The superintendent of public instruction shall collaborate with the state department of  
12 health to obtain and disseminate ~~information and training materials~~ to school districts  
13 and nonpublic schools, free of charge, information and training materials, including  
14 those available through the Jason foundation.