

HB0167/103327/1

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 167
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**Certificate of Dental Health**” and substitute “**Information on Accessible Dental Health**”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 3 down through “guardians;” in line 7 and substitute “requiring the State Department of Education to support and facilitate each county board of education in publishing certain information on dental health in a certain manner;”; in line 8, strike “a certificate of”; and strike in their entirety lines 9 through 13, inclusive, and substitute:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education

Section 4-111.2

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2022 Replacement Volume and 2023 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 17 on page 1 through line 9 on page 2, inclusive, and substitute:

“4-111.2.

The Department shall:

(1) Support and facilitate oral health education, including oral disease prevention and dental health promotion, in every county;

(2) Develop a process to monitor implementation of oral health education; [and]

(3) SUPPORT AND FACILITATE EACH COUNTY BOARD IN PUBLISHING INFORMATION ON FINANCIALLY ACCESSIBLE DENTAL HEALTH AVAILABLE IN THE COUNTY IN STUDENT HANDBOOKS AND ON LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM WEBSITES; AND

[(3)] (4) On or before December 1, 2015, and every 5 years thereafter, submit to the Governor and, subject to § 2-1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly a summary of the information reported by the Department to the State Superintendent during the certification of the Health Education State Curriculum.”.