

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4678**

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:

1 **Sec. 5474d. (1) Beginning January 1, 2024, a physician**
2 **treating a patient who is a minor shall do both of the following:**

3 **(a) Test the minor for lead poisoning at the intervals and**
4 **using the methods specified by the department by rule.**

5 **(b) Make an entry of the testing on the minor's certificate of**
6 **immunization.**

7 **(2) The department shall promulgate rules to implement this**
8 **section. The rules must include, but are not limited to, all of the**
9 **following:**



1 (a) A requirement that a minor residing in this state is
2 tested once between the ages of 9 and 12 months old and is tested
3 once again between the ages of 2 and 3 years old.

4 (b) The identification of geographic areas in this state that
5 pose a high risk for childhood lead poisoning and a requirement
6 that a minor who is 4 years old be tested if the minor resides in
7 an area described in this subdivision.

8 (c) Factors to identify a minor who is at high risk for lead
9 poisoning. The factors must include, but are not limited to,
10 residing in a home where other minors have been diagnosed with lead
11 poisoning and residing in a home that was built before 1978.

12 (d) A requirement that a minor is tested at intervals
13 determined by the department if a physician determines that the
14 minor is at high risk for lead poisoning by applying the factors
15 described in subdivision (c), through a parent's attestation, or
16 through the physician's own independent medical judgment.

17 (3) This section does not apply to a minor whose parent,
18 guardian, or person in loco parentis objects to testing.

19 (4) As used in this section, "certificate of immunization"
20 means the certificate described in section 9206.

21 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
22 unless House Bill No. 4679 of the 101st Legislature is enacted into
23 law.

