

HB 2036 -- ALLERGY PREVENTION IN CHILD CARE FACILITIES

SPONSOR: Weber

This bill adds child care facilities to the list of authorized entities for which a physician may prescribe an epinephrine auto-injector.

The bill requires licensed child care providers to adopt a policy on allergy prevention and response, with priority given to addressing deadly food-borne allergies. The policy will need to contain elements specified in the bill and will need to be adopted before July 1, 2026.

The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education must develop a model policy or policies on allergy prevention and response before July 1, 2025.

This bill is similar to HB 1213 and HB 1270 (2023).