

**SCHOOL COUNSELOR SERVICES**

2019 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Chief Sponsor: Susan Pulsipher**

Senate Sponsor: Lincoln Fillmore

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill directs the State Board of Education to adopt rules regarding school counselors.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- ▶ directs the State Board of Education to adopt rules:
  - regarding certain services provided by school counselors; and
  - prohibiting school counselors from certain activities; and
- ▶ requires the State Board of Education to report to the Education Interim Committee on the board's efforts to address school counseling services.

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

This bill provides a coordination clause.

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

AMENDS:

**63I-2-253**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapters 107, 281, 382, 415, and 456

ENACTS:

**53E-3-518**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

**Utah Code Sections Affected by Coordination Clause:**

**53E-1-201**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapter 1

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31 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

32 Section 1. Section **53E-3-518** is enacted to read:

33 **53E-3-518. School counselor services.**

34 (1) No later than July 1, 2019, the state board shall make rules specifying:

35 (a) the recommended direct and indirect services a school counselor may provide;

36 (b) the recommended amount of time a school counselor may spend on direct and

37 indirect services; and

38 (c) recommended activities for a school counselor.

39 (2) No later than November 30, 2019, the state board shall prepare and submit to the

40 Education Interim Committee a report on the state board's strategic efforts to address

41 counseling services in schools.

42 Section 2. Section **63I-2-253** is amended to read:

43 **63I-2-253. Repeal dates -- Titles 53 through 53G.**

44 (1) Section **53A-24-602** is repealed July 1, 2018.

45 (2) (a) Subsections **53B-2a-103**(2) and (4) are repealed July 1, 2019.

46 (b) When repealing Subsections **53B-2a-103**(2) and (4), the Office of Legislative  
47 Research and General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection **36-12-12**(3),  
48 make necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.

49 (3) (a) Subsection **53B-2a-108**(5) is repealed July 1, 2022.

50 (b) When repealing Subsection **53B-2a-108**(5), the Office of Legislative Research and  
51 General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection **36-12-12**(3), make  
52 necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.

53 (4) (a) Subsection **53B-7-705**(6)(b)(ii)(A), the language that states "Except as provided  
54 in Subsection (6)(b)(ii)(B)," is repealed July 1, 2021.

55 (b) Subsection **53B-7-705**(6)(b)(ii)(B) is repealed July 1, 2021.

56 (5) (a) Subsection **53B-7-707**(4)(a)(ii), the language that states "Except as provided in  
57 Subsection (4)(b)," is repealed July 1, 2021.

- 58 (b) Subsection [53B-7-707\(4\)\(b\)](#) is repealed July 1, 2021.
- 59 (6) (a) The following sections are repealed on July 1, 2023:
- 60 (i) Section [53B-8-202](#);
- 61 (ii) Section [53B-8-203](#);
- 62 (iii) Section [53B-8-204](#); and
- 63 (iv) Section [53B-8-205](#).
- 64 (b) (i) Subsection [53B-8-201\(2\)](#) is repealed on July 1, 2023.
- 65 (ii) When repealing Subsection [53B-8-201\(2\)](#), the Office of Legislative Research and
- 66 General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection [36-12-12\(3\)](#), make
- 67 necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.
- 68 (7) Title 53B, Chapter 18, Part 14, Uintah Basin Air Quality Research Project, is
- 69 repealed July 1, 2023.
- 70 (8) Section [53E-3-518](#) regarding school counselor services is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 71 [~~8~~] (9) Subsection [53E-5-306\(3\)\(b\)\(ii\)\(B\)](#) is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 72 [~~9~~] (10) Section [53E-5-307](#) is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 73 [~~10~~] (11) Subsections [53F-2-205\(4\)](#) and (5), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#),
- 74 as applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.
- 75 [~~11~~] (12) Subsection [53F-2-301\(1\)](#) is repealed July 1, 2023.
- 76 [~~12~~] (13) Subsection [53F-2-515\(1\)](#), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
- 77 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.
- 78 [~~13~~] (14) Section [53F-4-204](#) is repealed July 1, 2019.
- 79 [~~14~~] (15) Section [53F-6-202](#) is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 80 [~~15~~] (16) Subsection [53F-9-302\(3\)](#), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
- 81 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.
- 82 [~~16~~] (17) Subsection [53F-9-305\(3\)\(a\)](#), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
- 83 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.
- 84 [~~17~~] (18) Subsection [53F-9-306\(3\)\(a\)](#), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
- 85 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

86            [~~(18)~~] (19) Subsection [53G-3-304](#)(1)(c)(i), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as  
87 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

88            [~~(19)~~] (20) On July 1, 2023, when making changes in this section, the Office of  
89 Legislative Research and General Counsel shall, in addition to the office's authority under  
90 Subsection [36-12-12](#)(3), make corrections necessary to ensure that sections and subsections  
91 identified in this section are complete sentences and accurately reflect the office's perception of  
92 the Legislature's intent.

93            Section 3. **Coordinating H.B. 81 with S.B. 14 -- Substantive language.**

94            If this H.B. 81 and S.B. 14, Education Reporting Requirements, both pass and become  
95 law, it is the intent of the Legislature that the Office of Legislative Research and General  
96 Counsel prepare the Utah Code database for publication by:

97            (1) inserting the following language as Subsection [53E-1-201](#)(2)(a):

98            "(a) the report described in Section [53E-3-518](#) by the state board regarding counseling  
99 services in schools;"; and

100            (2) renumbering remaining subsections accordingly.