

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This legislation updates and clarifies Idaho law governing epinephrine auto-injector delivery systems in schools to ensure consistent terminology and improved emergency response authority. The bill modernizes statutory language, expands clarity around who may provide or administer epinephrine during life-threatening allergic reactions, and reinforces the ability of schools to maintain and utilize stock epinephrine for emergency use. These changes are intended to reduce ambiguity, support timely medical intervention during anaphylactic emergencies, and enhance student safety without imposing new mandates or costs on schools.

## FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact on the General Fund, local school districts, or other governmental entities. The bill clarifies existing authority and terminology related to epinephrine auto-injector delivery systems and does not require new staffing, training, equipment purchases, or reporting beyond current practices already authorized in statute. Any participation by schools in maintaining or acquiring epinephrine auto-injectors remains voluntary and may continue to be supported through existing resources, donations, or private arrangements.

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