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**A BILL**

To enact new section 3301.0718 and to repeal 1  
section 3301.0718 of the Revised Code regarding 2  
the adoption of health education standards. 3

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That new section 3301.0718 of the Revised Code 4  
be enacted to read as follows: 5

**Sec. 3301.0718.** (A) Not later than July 1, 2020, the state 6  
board of education shall adopt either of the following for the 7  
purposes of health education in grades kindergarten through 8  
twelve: 9

(1) The most recent health education standards developed 10  
by the American association for health education; 11

(2) Health education standards developed and prescribed by 12  
the state board itself. Standards developed by the state board 13  
under this division shall be based upon the national standards 14  
prescribed in division (A)(1) of this section. 15

(B) The department of education shall provide the adopted 16

standards, and any revisions to the standards, to all school 17  
districts, community schools established under Chapter 3314., 18  
STEM schools established under Chapter 3326., and college- 19  
preparatory boarding schools established under Chapter 3328. of 20  
the Revised Code. Any school or district may utilize the 21  
standards. 22

**Section 2.** That section 3301.0718 of the Revised Code is 23  
hereby repealed. 24