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To: All State KSIS Contacts
Subject: KSIS Notification: House Bill 142 (2024) Reminder
Importance: High

KSIS Points of Contact: FYI – the information below was shared with Safe Schools Administrators today.

From: Spalding, Windy - Office of Continuous Improvement and Support
Sent: Monday, August 11, 2025 12:22 PM
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District Safe School Administrators,
[House Bill 142](#) (2024), was in effect starting with the 2024-2025 school year. This law requires districts to provide to the parent/guardian and the student evidence-based, age-appropriate nicotine cessation information as a discipline resolution for the first behavior incident including drug types of those listed below:

- Alternative Nicotine Products
- Nicotine Vapor Products
- Non-Nicotine Vapor Products
- Tobacco/Nicotine Product
- THC Electronic Vapor Product

The materials should be provided by the school counselor or other school-based mental health services and should include but not limited to materials, programs, and referrals for treatment.

Districts can reference the [Behavior Data Standards](#) on page 6, Section A for guidance on creating the resolution code in the district database.

The bill enacts additional requirements for student behavior events in which the drug type selection is alternative nicotine and non-nicotine vapor, tobacco/nicotine, or THC electronic vapor products.

To add the resolution to student behavior, when a behavior event of Drug or Tobacco Use, Possession or Distribution are selected, Drug Type data element requires a selection. If the drug type is one of the above products, the first resolution attached to the event should be the provision of the nicotine cessation information.

In addition, if a behavior event involving drug or tobacco results in a medical intervention, users must select the already existing indicator named *Medical Services Provided* in the Participant Details section of the Behavior Management Tool. Reference page 9, section C if the [Behavior Data Standards](#).

This data is reportable and can be tracked using the Safe Schools report via KY State Reporting in Infinite Campus (IC).

KDE's Evidence-based Prevention and Cessation Materials [website](#) provides resources intended to help ensure school districts are implementing programs and resources that have been proven effective through research and evidence.

Please share this information and the data standard with those staff in the schools responsible for entry of student behavior.

Questions regarding Infinite Campus set-up and student tracking can be directed to [Windy Spalding](#). Questions regarding evidence-based prevention and cessation materials can be directed to [Jessica Johnson](#).

This message will also be sent to school principals listed with an email address in Infinite Campus.

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