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Details	Issues of concern to LHDs/suggestions for position/change	Recommendation	Final Outcome
Admin	<p>9.27 (B) revises contract and procurement of goods or services. Will likely trickle down to LHD purchasing.</p> <p>Sec. 183.18. (A) Ohio's public health priorities fund. "The director of budget and management may also credit to the fund any grant, gift, devise, bequest, or contribution made to the state to support public health."</p>	<p>No position</p> <p>Support</p>	Removed
Judicial/Education	<p>2923.13 Firearm Possession changes penalties in certain circumstances, including furnishing firearms to a minor; Some LHDs may have interests in these changing rules if concerned about "over or under-incarceration."</p> <p>2927.025-.028 Changes and adds language establishing a Vapor Product Certification of Dealer process. Has definitions, states process to receive certificate, (Disapproval/Suspension); fees-\$100 = application (1x) and annual fee (renewal) \$500. Funds to Dept Tobacco Use Prevention Fund.</p>	<p>No specific, Doubt AOHC would weigh in, but if specific interest / concern area for LHD (pg. 461-466)</p> <p>Support, yet, emphasize need for strong enforcement. Ohio could do much better enforcement – who enforces this, how often will it occur, how will it be sustainably funded, etc. This is a good opportunity to take the penalties out of the criminal code and have the be civil fines that fall on the retailer (with repeated violations leading to license</p>	<p>Vaping products added to Smokefree Workplace Act, but registration and regulation of vape shops removed. Further, provision added to permit vaping in vape shops.</p>

	<p>Sec 3313.60 (5) b inserts electronic smoking devices into health education in school requirements in section on educating re: harmful effects of tobacco</p> <p>Sec 3317.26 Notes that school health funds can now be used for telehealth (for mental and or physical health) and for culturally appropriate prevention, education, youth led, mental health services, includes substance use prevention/intervention linkage to resources and suicide prevention.</p> <p>Not sure if LHDs are involved in such services.</p> <p>Sec 3333.615 Abolishes Choose Ohio First scholarships for primary nursing, medicine and dentistry. Didn't see replaced. Unsure of intent / impact. Could this reduce future access to care in some areas of OH? (minor note).</p>	<p>suspension/revocation).</p> <p>Goes with above language</p> <p>Expansion of definitions and use of funds is positive for schools and partners.</p>	<p>Remained in the bill.</p>
<p>ODH policy</p> <p>ODH budget by line item</p>	<p>3701.36 increases the age for HMG from 3 yrs. to 5 yrs.</p> <p>3701.613 HV summit funding requirement was changed from 2 times a year to 1 time every other year.</p> <p>3703.01 {B} {b} requires LHD to provide a written notification of intent to perform plumbing inspections in certain types of buildings.</p> <p>3709.291 LHD taxing authority.</p>	<p>If funding is also increased those depts. with HMG could expand.</p> <p>Recommend that this be evaluated for its impact by those depts. that have plumbing programs.</p> <p>Multi county taxing authority would require the combined board of health to be established prior to putting the levy on the ballot. Suggest watching closely.</p>	<p>Removed by the Senate, reinserted by the Conference Committee.</p> <p>As introduced.</p> <p>Removed by House, reinserted by Senate, ultimately removed by conference committee.</p>

	<p>3734.57 Eliminates the June 22 sunset date for solid waste fees.</p> <p>3742.11 Lead paint remediation rule making authority 3742.16 ODH fine authority for lead paint.</p> <p>3745.11 EPA fees</p> <p>3794.01 Adds additional products to the definition of smoking.</p> <p>4729.42 Pharmacists and other pharmacy personnel may dispense tobacco cessation products without a prescription.</p> <p>4781.04 Opens rule making authority for manufactured home salespersons, dealers and brokers. Leans up language referring to the Manufactured Homes Commission.</p> <p>Budget line 440413 increased by \$6 million to support local CHIP efforts to support SHIP priorities, and for LHD merger support.</p> <p>Budget line 440483 allocates 2 million to be used for health equity initiatives and other issues of infectious disease prevention and control and other chronic diseases. Gives the ability to carry forward unexpended funds to FY2023.</p> <p>Budget line 440529 allocates harm reduction funding however requires that eligible health districts are accredited or in the process of accreditation. 440482</p> <p>Budget line 440647 allocates \$1.6 million for LHD</p>	<p>This change makes the current fees ongoing however the entire fee section is open and should be watch closely.</p> <p>All fees are open (NPDES included). Should be evaluated for impact on fee reductions and other changes.</p> <p>Opens up Smokefree Ohio.</p> <p>Makes Tobacco Cessation products more accessible.</p> <p>Senate removed additional funding.</p>	<p>Extended to 2024.</p> <p>Removed.</p> <p>Limited to cessation products, not including drugs. Notification of primary physician is required within 72 hours, not 30 days.</p> <p>Reinstated appropriation, previously removed by the Senate, but used federal money, not state GRF</p> <p>Removed.</p> <p>As introduced.</p> <p>As introduced.</p>
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Plumbing	<p>Reviewing H.B. 110 overall this would change plumbing inspectors’ certification from the Ohio Department of Commerce (DIC) to the Board of Building Standard (BBS). This has been discussed for several years and is for the betterment of the industry to be on the same page.</p> <p>Line 28143 – notification to the state if the county intends to conduct their own inspection</p> <p>Line 28151 – notification that a county has a contract with another health department or building department to conduct inspections</p> <p>Line 28186 - striking language that requires a plumbing inspector to be certified to through the state DIC- The requirements remain for a certified plumbing inspector however it will be a BBS certified inspector.</p> <p>Line 28205 – removes the superintendent of industrial compliance as the agency indicating minimum qualifications in certifying or recertifying a plumbing inspector. Plumbing inspectors’ qualifications will then fall under BBS requirements.</p> <p>Line 28224- Removes the superintendent as an agency that can accept reciprocity – as this agency would no longer exist</p> <p>Line 28235- Removes the DIC from holding an examination for plumbing inspector certification-</p>		<p>As introduced.</p>

	<p>Removing the DIC plumbing certification Line 28250 – State is no longer permitted to register persons in the plumbing business- I obtained a clarification that this is only for the state as a county we can continue to registered plumbing businesses.</p> <p>A few items not addressed in this Bill:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If every DIC licensed plumbing inspector would be grandfathered in as a BBS plumbing inspector. I asked this question to Regina Henshaw, Executive Secretary for the Ohio Department of Commerce. Her response - Yes, all inspectors would be issued a BBS plumbing inspectors certification without having to attend their code academy or testing out. • A plumbing permit obtained in a building department has a 3% fee attached for education through the BBS, my question to her was if this would be a requirement placed upon the counties ? Regina stated that only certified building departments are subject to this assessment. As a health district we have independent statutory authority to enforce plumbing code separate from the certified building departments. 		
City Heath Districts under 50,000	House inserted language requiring small city health districts to merge with the county health districts, after completion of a feasibility study.	Senate modified to exempt accredited, or in the process of becoming accredited LHDs from this provision. These LHDs must be accredited by 12/31/25.	Senate version included in final bill.
Vacation of citations and fines for violation of COVID orders	Language from a separate bill was inserted in the budget bill – vacating all violations, citations, and fines.	Added by Senate	Governor vetoed.
Drug overdose fatality review committees; suicide fatality review committees	<p>Options for both committees at the county level, or a single combined committee.</p> <p>ORC 121.22, 307.631-307.639, 307.641-307.649, 307.6410, 2151.421, 3701.0410, 3701.0411, 4729.80, 4729.86, 4731.22</p>	Added by the Senate	Senate addition retained.
Rare Disease	Adds six members to the Rare Disease	Added by Senate	Senate version with slight revision in

Advisory Council membership	Advisory Council: two public members appointed by both the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House and one public member appointed by both the Minority Leaders of the House and Senate. (This increases membership from 25 to 31.)		appointment process.
BCMh Eligibility	Expands eligibility for the Program for Medically Handicapped Children by increasing the maximum age of participants from 21 to 22 beginning on July 1, 2021 and from 22 to 23 beginning on July 1, 2022.	Added by Senate	Senate version passed.
BCCP changes	<p>Requires the Director of Health, as part of the Ohio Breast and Cervical Cancer Project (BCCP), to ensure that a woman who meets the following conditions receives treatment for breast or cervical cancer: (1) the woman was screened for breast or cervical cancer by a provider outside of the BCCP; (2) the woman is in need of treatment for breast or cervical cancer; (3) the woman has a countable income not exceeding 300% of the federal poverty line; (4) the woman is not covered by health insurance; and (5) the woman is less than sixty-five years of age.</p> <p>Requires \$100,000 in each fiscal year in GRF appropriation item 440438, Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening, to be used to ensure treatment for breast or cervical cancer for eligible women in accordance with section 3701.145 of the Revised Code.</p> <p>Requires the Director of Health, on July 1, 2022, or as soon as possible thereafter, to certify to the Director of OBM the amount of the unexpended, unencumbered balance of the abovementioned earmark at the end of FY 2022 to be reappropriated to FY 2023.</p> <p>Reappropriates the amount certified for the same purpose.</p>	Added in conference committee.	Changes passed.