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Overview

This bill modifies the requirements for child care centers as to who must be trained in CPR. Current law requires at least one trained staff person to be present in the facility when children are present. This bill requires that all teachers and assistant teachers must be trained in CPR, including CPR for infants and children.

Section

- 1 Hannah's Law.** Provides that this act may be cited as "Hannah's Law."
- 2 Cardiopulmonary resuscitation.** Amends § 245A.40, subd. 4.
 - Requires all teachers and assistant teachers employed by a child care center to successfully complete CPR training, treatment of obstructed airways, and CPR techniques for infants and child.
 - Requires at least one staff member who has successfully completed the above training to be present whenever a child is present in the facility.
 - Provides that during field trips and while transporting children all teachers, assistant teachers, and at least one staff member must have completed CPR training.
 - Requires completion of the required training within 90 days of hire unless the individual has completed CPR training within the previous 3 years.