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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill appropriates money from the general fund to the commissioner of health for poison information centers. The bill also requires the commissioner to conduct a study relating to the poison information centers.

#### Section

- 1 Appropriation; Minnesota poison information centers.** Appropriates \$750,000 in fiscal year 2015 from the general fund to the commissioner of health. States the appropriation shall be used to enhance staffing to meet national standards, for health care provider education and training, for public health surveillance, and to cooperate with local public health agencies.
- 2 Poison information centers study.** Requires the commissioner to review the duties of poison information centers, make recommendations for funding, and determine financial and public health benefits provided by the poison control system.