

**Subject** Local public health grants

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## Overview

This bill appropriates \$20,000,000 each fiscal year from the general fund to the commissioner of health for distribution to community health boards as local public health grants. Community health boards use local public health grants to address local public health priorities and areas of public health responsibility, identified through a community health assessment and a community health improvement planning process. Criteria in statute determine the local public health grant amount that each community health board receives, and a community health board must provide at least a 75% local match for state funds received.

A community health board is the governing body for local public health activities within its jurisdiction. A community health board's jurisdiction may consist of a single county, a single city, multiple contiguous counties, or the area of a human services board.

## Summary

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| 1 | <b>Appropriations; local public health grants.</b><br>Appropriates \$20,000,000 in fiscal year 2022 and \$20,000,000 in fiscal year 2023 from the general fund to the commissioner of health for local public health grants, distributed to community health boards according to statute. |
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