HJR 15 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Rep. Marsh

House Committee On Education

Action Date:	03/27/19
Action:	Be Adopted.
Vote:	9-0-0-0
Yeas:	9 - Alonso Leon, Doherty, Helt, Hernandez, Neron, Reardon, Reschke, Sollman, Wallan
Fiscal:	No fiscal impact
Revenue:	No revenue impact
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Meeting Dates:	3/27

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Directs state agencies to follow Childhood and Early Parenting Principles as framework for policies and programs on early parenting and childhood development.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Importance of prenatal care and health of child during stages of development
- Interest in amending the Resolution to be more inclusive

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Childhood Early Parenting Principles (CEPP) were developed by organizations working on the delivery of child health and early childhood development. They focus on ages 3 to 5 due to the impact on a child's future physical and mental health. CEPP extends the work of early childhood development to the prenatal period of child development, and includes both physical and mental development.