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To me, this seems like such an obvious protocol that I am disappointed that it needs to be legislated at all and is not already the internal policy for syringe service programs.

The only argument I can come up with for how someone could oppose this bill is that people might potentially have to travel slightly further to get to the program's location. To me, the negative outcomes of operating in close proximity to schools overwhelmingly and obviously outweigh the less than a mile increased distance someone theoretically may need to travel in order to access the syringe service.

I fully support this bill.