

Subject Sharing incident-level location data on overdose incidents

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Overview

Under current law, ambulance services are required to collect prehospital care data for emergency responses and provide that data to the director of the Office of Emergency Medical Services. Prehospital care data is information collected by ambulance service personnel about the emergency response and the patient care provided by the ambulance service personnel, and this data is classified as private data on individuals.

This bill allows the director to share incident-level location data with the Washington/Baltimore High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area's Overdose Detection Mapping Application Program (ODMAP). ODMAP is a software platform that collects data on overdose incidents and makes that data available to public safety agencies and public health agencies to allow them to identify overdose spikes and clusters, mobilize responses, and target community resources and programs.

Summary

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| 1 | <p>Review.</p> <p>Amends § 144E.123, subd. 3. From the prehospital care data for emergency responses that ambulance services must report to the Office of Emergency Medical Services, allows the director of the Office of Emergency Medical Services to share incident-level location data with the Washington/Baltimore High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area's Overdose Detection Mapping Application Program.</p> |
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