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By Mr. Falzone of Saugus, petition of Mark V. Falzone for legislation to include AIDS/HIV prevention in the health education curriculum of the public schools. Education.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

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AN ACT TO INCLUDE AIDS AND HIV PREVENTION IN THE HEALTH EDUCATION CURRICULUM OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Section 1 of chapter 71 of the General Laws, as appearing in  
2 the 2000 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the  
3 fifth sentence beginning in line 16, and inserting in place thereof  
4 the following sentence:— Instruction in health education shall  
5 include, but not be limited to, consumer health, ecology, commu-  
6 nity health, body structure and function, safety, nutrition, fitness  
7 and body dynamics, dental health, emotional development,  
8 AIDS/HIV prevention education, and training in the administra-  
9 tion of first aid, including cardiopulmonary resuscitation, in  
10 accordance with policies and/or guidelines of the Board of Educa-  
11 tion in conjunction with the Department of Public Health.