

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 486  
by Representative Fisher

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 8, insert "A."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 8, change "four" to "three"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 11, insert "Each public school principal or his designee may use discretion in determining a convenient time for scheduling such assessments and an appropriate time and place to conduct such assessments."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 11, insert the following:

"B. For the purposes of this Section, "licensed behavioral health provider" means a provider who is on a list that the Louisiana Department of Health shall provide to the public school and fits into one of the following categories:

(1) A licensed behavioral health provider approved by the Louisiana Department of Health to provide behavioral health services and who is properly credentialed by an accrediting body.

(2) An individual provider who is licensed and authorized to conduct mental health assessments.

C. The assessments provided for in this Section shall be provided to the appropriate students at each public school at no cost to each city, parish, or other local public school board."