



2025 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1172

Introduced by: **Representative** Randolph

1 **An Act to require that a high school health curriculum include human sexuality and**
2 **human development within the womb.**

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 **Section 1. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-33:**

5 The board of each school district shall ensure that the health curriculum offered to
6 students in grades nine through twelve incorporates, by means of oral, written, or digital
7 lessons, or by means of lectures or presentations, information about human sexuality as
8 it relates to sexual activity and pregnancy in the context of student health and healthy
9 relationships, and human biology as it relates to pregnancy and human development
10 inside the womb. The information must include at least two of the following:

11 (1) A video presentation that uses a high-quality, computer-generated rendering or
12 animation to demonstrate the process of a chemical abortion in the first trimester;

13 (2) A video presentation that uses a high-quality, computer-generated rendering or
14 animation to demonstrate the process of a surgical abortion in the first trimester;

15 or

16 (3) A video presentation that uses a high-quality, computer-generated rendering or
17 animation to demonstrate the process of a surgical abortion in the second
18 trimester.

19 **Section 2. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-33:**

20 Nothing in section 1 of this Act authorizes any individual employed by or under
21 contract with a school district to refer a student for abortion services.

22 **Section 3. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-33:**

1 The curricular material and information referenced in section 1 of this Act may not
2 be offered, furnished, or sponsored by an individual who performs or by an entity that
3 provides elective abortion services.

4 **Section 4. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-33:**

5 The attorney general may petition the circuit court to enforce compliance under
6 this Act.