

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Blue Bill # 54						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 5						
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1 An act to allow Kentucky State Troopers, who have EMT training, and graduate after June 2016 to carry
2 Naloxone.

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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section. 1: In 2013, there were 1,007 overdose fatalities in Ky. The majority of the overdoses were due to
7 Opioids, better known as "pain killers". Opioids act by attaching to specific proteins called opioid receptors;
8 when these drugs do this, they reduce the perception of pain.

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10 Section 2: By allowing State Troopers to carry the synthetic drug Naloxone, many Overdoses may be
11 prevented. Naloxone is an injectable, or nasal spray drug, that works by blocking the opioid receptors, thus
12 stopping opioids from acting on them. Naloxone is safe and will not harm those that it is administered .

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14 Section 3: This bill will pertain to all Kentucky State Troopers, who graduates after June 2016, and
15 participated with passage in EMT training.

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17 Section 4: This bill allows KSP to administer Naloxone in the event they are able to respond to the scene
18 before Emergency Medics.

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20 Section 5: This bill also suggest that Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) training be added to the list of
21 requirements in order to pass the Kentucky State Police (KSP) Academy. Thus all troopers will have the
22 proper training to diagnose an opiate overdose and administer the drug.

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24 Section 6: The EMT training for Kentucky Cadets will cost approximately 10,000 for 40 hours of training
25 which will include the Cadet's salary, cost of instructors, training equipment, and an issued EMT gear bag for
26 each officer. Naloxone cost approximately \$2 per dose, bringing the total cost of the bill 12,014 per year.

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28 Section 7: The money for this bill will come from the Department of Justice and Public safety's budget.

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30 Section 8: This bill will go into effect June 1, 2016