

1 **§ -2 Requirement to install and maintain automated**
2 **external defibrillators in state buildings.** (a) No later than
3 January 1, 2025, the department shall install in every state
4 building:

5 (1) At least one automated external defibrillator placed
6 on each floor, accessible to employees of the state
7 agencies listed in section -4 and the public
8 visiting those agencies' facilities; and

9 (2) Appropriate signage posted to indicate the location of
10 each automated external defibrillator.

11 (b) The department shall notify emergency services
12 providers, as defined under section 78-52, of the existence,
13 location, and type of each automated external defibrillator
14 installed in a state building.

15 **§ -3 Administering agency.** The department shall
16 administer the provisions of this chapter and adopt rules,
17 without regard to chapter 91, necessary to carry out the
18 purposes of this chapter.

19 **§ -4 Training.** (a) The department shall provide
20 training on the use of automated external defibrillators for all
21 of its employees and the employees and security staff of the:



1 (1) Office of the governor;
2 (2) Office of the lieutenant governor;
3 (3) State legislature;
4 (4) Department of education;
5 (5) Department of law enforcement; and
6 (6) Department of corrections and rehabilitation,
7 in accordance with the standards of the American Heart
8 Association, American National Red Cross, or any similar
9 certificate-issuing organization.

10 (b) The department, in collaboration with the department
11 of health, may contract for or procure as necessary the services
12 of another public or private entity to assist with the training
13 required under this section.

14 (c) Each state agency listed in subsection (a) shall
15 provide to the department the names and electronic mail
16 addresses of those state employees required to take the
17 applicable training and shall assist the department by providing
18 adequate meeting facilities, equipment, and technical support as
19 needed for the training.

20 (d) The department shall administer, in collaboration with
21 the department of education, university of Hawaii, and other



1 relevant parties, a public education program on the use of
2 automated external defibrillators.

3 § **-5 Maintenance.** The department shall conduct periodic
4 inspections of all automated external defibrillators to ensure
5 that they are maintained in an operative condition and are
6 replaced or repaired when defective in accordance with the
7 operation and maintenance guidelines established by the
8 manufacturer.

9 § **-6 Exception to liability.** Any person who administers
10 an automated external defibrillator installed or maintained
11 pursuant to this chapter shall be subject to section 663-1.5(e),
12 and the protections provided thereunder."

13 SECTION 2. In accordance with section 9 of article VII of
14 the Hawaii State Constitution and sections 37-91 and 37-93,
15 Hawaii Revised Statutes, the legislature has determined that the
16 appropriations contained in Act 164, Regular Session of 2023,
17 and this Act will cause the state general fund expenditure
18 ceiling for fiscal year 2024-2025 to be exceeded by
19 \$ or per cent. This current declaration takes
20 into account general fund appropriations authorized for fiscal
21 year 2024-2025 in Act 164, Regular Session of 2023, and this Act



1 only. The reasons for exceeding the general fund expenditure
2 ceiling are that:

3 (1) The appropriation made in this Act is necessary to
4 serve the public interest; and

5 (2) The appropriation made in this Act meets the needs
6 addressed by this Act.

7 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
8 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
9 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2024-2025 for
10 the installation and maintenance of automated external
11 defibrillators in state buildings pursuant to this Act.

12 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
13 accounting and general services for the purposes of this Act.

14 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
15 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
16 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2024-2025 for
17 the department of accounting and general services to provide
18 trainings on the use of automated external defibrillators in
19 state buildings pursuant to this Act.

20 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
21 accounting and general services for the purposes of this Act.



1 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2112.



Report Title:

DAGS; Automated External Defibrillators; State Buildings;
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Description:

No later than January 1, 2025, requires the Department of Accounting and General Services to install and maintain automated external defibrillators in all state buildings. Requires the Department of Accounting and General Services to provide trainings on the use of automated external defibrillators for certain state employees and security staff. Declares that the general fund expenditure ceiling is exceeded. Makes appropriations. Takes effect 7/1/2112. (SD1)

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