2025 State Legislative Update



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Session

Overview

Recent Milestones

- Leadership changes
- Committee Assignments
- Governor's Budgets Release
- Legislative Committee
 Days
- Start of Session

Upcoming Dates

- Cutoff Dates
- Public Health Day (3/6)
- House Budget Proposals
- Senate Budget Proposals



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Tentative Schedule:

- January 13th First Day of Session
- February 12th Policy Committee Cutoff
- February 28th Fiscal Committee Cutoff
- March 12th House of Origin Cutoff
- April 2nd Opposite Chamber Policy Cutoff
- •April 8th Opposite Chamber Fiscal Cutoff
- April 16th Opposite Chamber Floor Cutoff
- April 27th Sine Die



Public Health – Seattle & King County

Areas of Focus

- Budget, Revenue, Foundational Public Health Services (FPHS)
- Community Health and Well Being
- Environmental Health and Climate Change
- Food Access
- Gun Violence
- Homelessness, Housing, and Health
- Healthcare Access
- Injury Prevention
- Overdose Prevention
- Racism as a Public Health Crisis
- Tobacco and Cannabis



Partner

Areas of

Focus

Washington State Association of Local Public Health Officials (WSALPHO)

Foundational Public Health Services (FPHS)

Supporting the \$45 million funding requests including equitably funding tribal FPHS efforts

Child Fatality Review Teams Modernizing

Updating Washington's child fatality review statute (RCW 70.05.170)

Critical Public Health Preventive Care

Investing in preventative healthcare services and addressing critical barriers in accessing care. Replicating Snohomish County's STI clinic to further reduce the burden of STIs, particularly syphilis.



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