



## 2019 SENATE BILL 648

January 8, 2020 - Introduced by Senators JACQUE, ERPENBACH, CARPENTER, LARSON, OLSEN and L. TAYLOR, cosponsored by Representatives BRANDTJEN, C. TAYLOR, BOWEN, BROSTOFF, DITTRICH, MAGNAFICI, OHNSTAD, OTT, POPE, SARGENT, SKOWRONSKI, STUBBS, TITTL, VRUWINK and SINICKI. Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services.

1     **AN ACT relating to:** requiring pediatricians and pediatric specialists to view  
2             presentations about neuroimmune disorders in children.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

This bill requires each physician who specializes in general pediatrics or a pediatric specialty to view not less than two hours of live presentations or webinars about neuroimmune disorders in children, including pediatric acute-onset neuropsychiatric syndrome and autoimmune encephalitis, by January 1, 2022. Also, under the bill, the Department of Health Services must consult with the Medical Examining Board to designate live presentations and webinars about child neuroimmune disorders, must designate the dates on which the live presentations and webinars will be held, and must make information about the presentations and webinars available on its Internet site. The bill requires that the live presentations and webinars that DHS designates must be approved by the examining board as satisfying continuing education requirements for physicians.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

3             **SECTION 1. Nonstatutory provisions.**

