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Senator Braynon moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 99 - 124

and insert:

3. Make available educational materials and referrals to education regarding the transmission of HIV, viral hepatitis, and other blood-borne diseases; provide referrals for drug abuse prevention and treatment; and provide or refer for HIV and viral hepatitis screening.

(b) The possession, distribution, or exchange of needles or syringes as part of the pilot program established under this



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12 subsection is not a violation of any part of chapter 893 or any
13 other law.

14 (c) A pilot program staff member, volunteer, or participant
15 is not immune from criminal prosecution for:

16 1. The possession of needles or syringes that are not a
17 part of the pilot program; or

18 2. The redistribution of needles or syringes in any form,
19 if acting outside the pilot program.

20 (d) The pilot program must collect data for quarterly,
21 annual, and final reporting purposes. The annual report must
22 include information on the number of participants served, the
23 number of needles and syringes exchanged and distributed, the
24 demographic profiles of the participants served, the number of
25 participants entering drug counseling and treatment; the number
26 of participants receiving testing for HIV, AIDS, viral
27 hepatitis, or other blood-borne diseases; and other data
28 necessary for the pilot program. However, personal identifying
29 information may not be collected from a participant for any
30 purpose. Quarterly reports must be submitted to the Department
31 of Health in Miami-Dade County by October 15, January 15, April
32 15, and July 15 of each year. An annual report must be submitted
33 to the Department of Health by August 1

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35 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

36 And the title is amended as follows:

37 Delete line 19

38 and insert:

39 affiliates to submit quarterly and annual reports to
40 the Department