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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill would delay the beginning of annual mass flu vaccination clinics for those not in high-risk priority groups until after November 1 of each year unless the commissioner of health determined that there is sufficient supply of the vaccine.

Section

- 1** **Annual flu vaccinations during a shortage.** Adds § 144.063. Delays the operation of annual mass flu vaccination clinics for those not in a high-risk priority group (as determined by the National Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices) until November 1 of each year unless the commissioner of health determines there is sufficient supply of the vaccine and has posted this determination on the Department of Health's website.

Effective date. States that the section is effective the day following final enactment.