

**Proposed Mental Health Conditions
For School-based Mental Health Screening Program
H.B. 323, R277-625**

Conditions	Definitions
Anxiety:	apprehensive uneasiness or nervousness; abnormal and overwhelming sense of apprehension and fear
Depression:	a state of feeling unhappy; marked by inactivity, difficulty in thinking and concentration, a significant increase or decrease in appetite and time spent sleeping, feelings of dejection and hopelessness
Suicide Ideation:	refers to thinking about, considering, or planning suicide

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