

NEVADA GIRLS STATE
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Memorializes the 2019 session of the Nevada Legislature to enact legislation that will promote educating youth in order to reduce Nevada's high teen pregnancy rate.

WHEREAS, Students in Nevada's public school systems do not need parental permission to participate in Sexual Education courses; and

WHEREAS, Any Sexual Education curriculum will include instruction about contraceptives as well as abstinence; and

WHEREAS, Such legislation will ensure that Nevada will encourage state agencies, the public schools systems, and Nevada's Affordable Care Act Exchange to endorse content in their programs aimed at reducing the teen pregnancy rate; and

WHEREAS, Such education will respect and support a citizen's right to learn about and have access to contraception as a matter of health; therefore be it

RESOLVED BY THE GIRLS STATE OF NEVADA assembled in Carson City on June 30, 2017 that the 2019 session of the Nevada legislature is hereby memorialized to enact legislation that will promote educating youth in order to reduce Nevada's high teen pregnancy rate.