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1		AN ACT relating to public health.
2	Be it	enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:
3		→SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 211 IS CREATED TO
4	REA	D AS FOLLOWS:
5	<u>(1)</u>	The Department for Public Health shall collaborate with the Alzheimer's
6		Association of Greater Kentucky and Southern Indiana to update and
7		incorporate into the materials the department publishes and distributes to the
8		public about heart disease and stroke prevention, diabetes prevention and control,
9		physical activity and nutrition, and tobacco prevention and cessation, the
10		following information:
11		(a) To aid people's understanding and awareness of Alzheimer's disease and
12		other dementias, including links to chronic conditions such as vascular
13		disease, diabetes, and smoking;
14		(b) On early signs of Alzheimer's disease and other dementias that should be
15		discussed with healthcare professionals; and
16		(c) On steps that can be taken to reduce the risk of cognitive decline,
17		particularly among persons in communities who are at greater risk of
18		developing Alzheimer's disease and other types of dementia.
19	<u>(2)</u>	The Department for Public Health shall publish the materials from subsection (1)
20		of this section on its website and distribute the materials to all sixty-one (61) local
21		health departments in Kentucky:
22		(a) Digital formats;
23		(b) Physical copies of campaign materials; or
24		(c) In conjunction with educational programming.