

**137.112 District public health fund — budget.**

1. The district treasurer shall establish a district public health fund from which disbursements may be made in the manner specified for disbursements by law for the disbursement of county funds.

2. All moneys received by a district board or district health department for local public health purposes from federal appropriations, state appropriations, local appropriations, fees, gifts, grants, bequests, or other sources shall be deposited in the district public health fund. Expenditures shall be made from the fund on order of the district board for the purpose of carrying out its duties. No more than twenty percent of the unexpended balance remaining in the fund at the end of each fiscal year shall be maintained in the district public health fund. The remainder of the unexpended balance shall revert to the general funds of the member counties in the manner determined by the district board.

3. The district board shall adopt and certify an annual budget in accordance with [section 24.17](#) relating to certification of budgets and [section 24.27](#) relating to protesting budgets.

4. [This section](#) does not apply to any district board of health or district health department in existence prior to July 1, 2010.

[2010 Acts, ch 1036, §12; 2012 Acts, ch 1113, §17, 20, 21](#)

Subsection 4 takes effect May 2, 2012, and applies retroactively to July 1, 2010; 2012 Acts, ch 1113, §20, 21