

ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 1042

By: Williams (Penny), Monson,  
Shedrick, Weedn, Brown,  
Robinson, Dickerson and  
Horner of the Senate

and

Boyd (Betty) and Boyd  
(Laura) of the House

[ state government - creating Oklahoma Center for  
Breast Cancer Treatment and Prevention - effective  
date - emergency ]

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5060.28 of Title 74, unless  
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. There is hereby created the Oklahoma Center for Breast  
Cancer Treatment and Prevention. The Center is hereby constituted  
an instrumentality of the state and the exercise of the authority  
and powers conferred by this act shall be deemed and held to be the  
performance of an essential governmental function.

B. The mission of the Center shall be to fund essential  
research and services with respect to the cause, cure, detection,  
treatment and prevention of breast cancer and to provide and support  
education on breast cancer by establishing and supporting programs  
related thereto, including but not limited to:

1. Mammography screening of women for breast cancer as an early  
detection health care measure;

2. Medical referral of screened women for definitive diagnosis, including sonograms or biopsy, and, to the extent practical, additional services or assistance for such women;

3. Educational and training programs for health care professionals to improve the detection and control of breast cancer, and communication with breast cancer patients after diagnosis;

4. Outreach to groups with high proportions of uninsured and underinsured women;

5. Research on the cause, cure, prevention, and early detection of breast cancer;

6. Research on cultural barriers to accessing the health care system for early detection and treatment of breast cancer;

7. Establishment of a breast cancer registry;

8. Collection of breast cancer-related data; and

9. Research of breast cancer-related epidemiology.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1994.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the Senate the 16th day of March, 1994.

President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 1994.

Speaker of the House of Representatives