

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 45th Legislature (1995)  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
FOR ENGROSSED  
SENATE BILL NO. 370

By: Monson of the Senate

and

Seikel and Boyd (Laura)  
of the House

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An Act relating to insurance and poor persons; amending 36 O.S. 1991, Section 631, which relates to general requirements; providing for deposit of certain premium tax to the credit of certain fund; amending Section 7, Chapter 336, O.S.L. 1993 (56 O.S. Supp. 1994, Section 1010.7), which relates to the Oklahoma Medicaid Healthcare Options Act; clarifying statutory reference; creating the Medicaid Contingency Revolving Fund; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 36 O.S. 1991, Section 631, is amended to read as follows:

Section 631. A. Said premium tax as collected shall be deposited by the thirtieth day of the month of receipt to the credit of the General Revenue Fund subject only to the allocations thereof as otherwise provided by law.

B. That portion of premium tax collected from the University of Oklahoma Managed Care Plan sponsored by the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center and from qualified health plans that contract with the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to provide managed care to participants in the State Medicaid program, as provided in Section 624 of this title, shall be paid by the thirtieth day of the month of receipt to the credit of the

Medicaid Contingency Revolving Fund, created in Section 3 of this act.

C. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 1989, the Insurance Commissioner shall transfer all monies in the Insurance Commissioner's Protest Fund to the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY Section 7, Chapter 336, O.S.L. 1993 (56 O.S. Supp. 1994, Section 1010.7), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1010.7 A. There is hereby established to continue until September 30, 1999, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee for the Oklahoma Medicaid Healthcare Options System.

B. The Committee shall be composed of three members of the Oklahoma State Senate, to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and three members of the Oklahoma House of Representatives, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members shall serve terms of two (2) years and shall be removable for cause by the appointing authority. Vacancies on the Committee shall be filled by the appointing authority.

C. The Committee may use the expertise and services of the staffs of the Senate and the House of Representatives and may, as necessary, employ and contract for the advice and services of experts in the fields as well as other necessary professional and clerical staff.

D. The Committee shall be convened no less than four times a year.

E. The Committee, in conjunction with the ~~state entity designated by law or the Department of Human Services, as specified in paragraph 1 of subsection A of Section 3 of this act~~ Oklahoma Health Care Authority, shall review negotiations with the federal government relating to any and all agreements between the federal government and the State of Oklahoma concerning Title XIX programs in this state under Title XIX of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C., Section 1396 et seq.

F. The Committee shall review and make recommendations concerning all proposals for additions or modifications to populations covered or services provided by the ~~state entity designated by law or the Department, as specified in paragraph 1 of subsection A of Section 3 of this act~~ Oklahoma Health Care Authority. The Committee shall also monitor the implementation of these additions or modifications, including review of the preadmission screening instrument, the eligibility and enrollment system and the services delivery system.

G. The Committee, in conjunction with the ~~state entity designated by law or the Department, as specified in paragraph 1 of subsection A of Section 3 of this act~~ Oklahoma Health Care Authority, shall conduct a study of client advocacy and community outreach. The Committee shall submit a report to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives no later than January 1, 1997.

SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1010.8 of Title 56, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund for the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to be designated the "Medicaid Contingency Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of all taxes levied, pursuant to subsection A of Section 624 of Title 36 of the Oklahoma Statutes, on premiums paid by entities subject to such premium tax on behalf of Medicaid recipients. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated and shall be budgeted and expended by the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to maintain current eligibility levels under Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C., Section 1396 et seq.

SECTION 4. This act shall become effective November 1, 1995.

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