

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2056

By: Greenwood

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending Section 4, Chapter 170, O.S.L. 1994 (63 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 1-238), which relates to the State Plan for Coordination of Efforts for Prevention of Adolescent Pregnancy and Sexually Transmitted Diseases; clarifying language; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 4, Chapter 170, O.S.L. 1994 (63 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 1-238), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1-238. A. The State Plan for Coordination of Efforts for Prevention of Adolescent Pregnancy and Sexually Transmitted Diseases shall include but not necessarily be limited to:

1. A statewide public awareness campaign which extols the virtue of abstaining from premarital sexual activity. ~~Said~~ The public awareness campaign shall not directly or indirectly condone premarital or promiscuous sexual activity;
2. Identification of effective prevention strategies;
3. Identification of resources, both within the agencies subject to the provisions of this act and within the communities;

4. Identification of sources of revenue for programs and efforts from private as well as federal and state sources;
5. Development and replication of effective model programs;
6. Empowerment of communities in developing local prevention strategies;
7. Development of recommendations for local prevention efforts and technical assistance to communities;
8. Delineation of service responsibilities and coordination of delivery of services by the agencies subject to the provisions of this act;
9. Coordination and collaboration among related efforts and programs;
10. Evaluation of prevention strategies and programs;
11. Distribution of information on prevention programs and strategies; and
12. A funding and implementation plan which shall provide for utilization of identifiable financial resources from federal, state, local and private resources and coordination of those resources to fund related services.

B. On or before July 1, 1995, the agencies subject to the provisions of this act shall enter into interagency agreements for the purpose of implementing the State Plan.

C. On or before September 1, 1995, and each September 1 thereafter, a joint funding plan shall be submitted to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the agencies subject to the provisions of this act. The individual components of the plan as they relate to individual agencies shall be incorporated annually into each affected agency's budget request in accordance with the provisions of Section 41.29 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1997.

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