

SHORT TITLE: State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision;
allowing subpoena of non-psychiatric patient records. Effective
date.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

SENATE BILL NO. 1234

By: Hendrick

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision; allowing the Board authority to subpoena copies of non-psychiatric patient records under certain circumstances; providing for confidentiality; requiring patient's name be deleted from record unless patient consents in writing; and providing an effective date.

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 504.1 of Title 59, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision shall have the authority to subpoena copies of non-psychiatric patient records attendant to an investigation with or without patient consent. All records obtained shall be kept confidential. Any record used during a disciplinary hearing shall have the name of the patient deleted unless the patient consents in writing to the use of his or her name. SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1998.

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