

CS for SB 1469

1 THE STATE SENATE
2 Monday, February 28, 2000

3 Committee Substitute for
4 Senate Bill No. 1469

5 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 1469 - By: HELTON of the
6 Senate and RICE of the House.

7 An Act relating to public health and safety; creating the
8 Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease Prevention, Education
9 and Treatment Act; citing act; requiring promulgation of
10 rules; requiring the State Department of Health to provide
11 specified services and staff, to provide funds to
12 communities for specified purposes, to conduct evaluations
13 and studies, and to maintain certain directory according to
14 fund availability; establishing Interagency Panel on
15 Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease; providing for chair and
16 composition and appointment of membership; stating duties of
17 coalition; requiring preparation and transmission of report;
18 requiring establishment and coordination of Advisory Panel
19 on Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease; stating purpose of
20 panel; providing for membership; allowing the State
21 Department of Health to take certain actions and to contract
22 with specified entity for certain services; allowing the
23 State Commissioner of Health to accept specified funds;
24 requiring the Commissioner to seek waivers to maximize
25 funds; providing for codification; and providing an
26 effective date.

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

28 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
29 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-559.1 of Title 63, unless
30 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

31 A. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Diabetes
32 and Cardiovascular Disease Prevention, Education and Treatment Act".

1 B. 1. The State Board of Health shall promulgate rules
2 necessary to enact the provisions of the Diabetes and Cardiovascular
3 Disease Prevention, Education and Treatment Act and the State
4 Department of Health shall be responsible for enacting the
5 provisions of this act.

6 2. The State Department of Health, as funds are available,
7 shall:

- 8 a. provide and train sufficient staff to implement the
9 provisions of the Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease
10 Prevention, Education and Treatment Act,
- 11 b. provide funds to communities to develop or replicate
12 successful diabetes and cardiovascular education
13 programs that provide evidence-based outcomes and that
14 improve the quality of community-based services
15 available to diabetes and cardiovascular disease
16 patients,
- 17 c. collaborate with public, private and volunteer
18 agencies and business and industry to maximize state
19 resources in the areas of prevention, education, and
20 treatment of diabetes and cardiovascular disease,
- 21 d. provide or contract for diabetes and cardiovascular
22 self-management training for patients, families and
23 communities in rural areas or areas of low-access,

- 1 e. evaluate such programs as to outcomes and efficiency,
- 2 f. conduct epidemiological studies to address the burden
- 3 of diabetes and cardiovascular disease, and
- 4 g. maintain an electronic resource statewide directory of
- 5 services and programs for diabetes and cardiovascular
- 6 disease for the general public, policy makers and
- 7 professionals.

8 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
9 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-559.2 of Title 63, unless
10 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

11 A. There is hereby established within the State Department of
12 Health the Interagency Panel on Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease.
13 The State Commissioner of Health, or a designee, shall chair the
14 panel which shall be composed of representatives from appropriate
15 state agencies, boards and commissions including, but not limited
16 to, entities with responsibility for aging, health care delivery,
17 education, human services, consumer protection, and women's
18 programs. Such representatives shall be appointed by the director
19 or chief operating officer of the entity.

20 B. The interagency panel shall:

21 1. Advise the Department regarding coordination of diabetes and
22 cardiovascular disease programs conducted by or through the
23 Department;

1 2. Establish a mechanism for sharing information on diabetes
2 and cardiovascular disease among all officials and employees
3 involved in carrying out diabetes and cardiovascular disease-related
4 programs;

5 3. Establish mechanisms to use the results of research
6 concerning diabetes and cardiovascular disease in the development of
7 relevant policies and programs; and

8 4. Prepare a report that describes educational initiatives on
9 diabetes and cardiovascular disease sponsored by the state, and that
10 makes recommendations for new educational initiatives on diabetes
11 and cardiovascular disease. The panel shall transmit the report to
12 the State Board of Health for review and forwarding with any
13 necessary comments or recommendations to the Legislature. The
14 report shall also be available to the public.

15 C. The Commissioner shall establish and coordinate an Advisory
16 Panel on Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease which shall provide
17 nongovernmental input regarding the Diabetes and Cardiovascular
18 Disease Prevention, Education and Treatment Program. Membership on
19 the advisory panel shall be voluntary and shall include, but not be
20 limited to, persons with diabetes or cardiovascular disease or both,
21 representatives of women's health organizations, public health
22 educators, diabetes and cardiovascular disease experts, providers of
23 diabetes and cardiovascular disease health care, persons

1 knowledgeable about health care promotion and education, and
2 representatives of national diabetes and cardiovascular disease
3 organizations or their state or regional affiliates.

4 SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
5 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-559.3 of Title 63, unless
6 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

7 A. The State Department of Health may replicate and use
8 successful diabetes and cardiovascular disease education program
9 models. The Department may also enter into contracts and purchase
10 materials or services from organizations with appropriate expertise
11 and knowledge of diabetes and cardiovascular disease.

12 B. The State Commissioner of Health may accept grants, services
13 and property from the federal government, foundations,
14 organizations, medical schools and other entities as may be
15 available, and shall seek any federal waiver or waivers that may be
16 necessary to maximize funds from the federal government for the
17 purpose of implementing the provisions of the Diabetes and
18 Cardiovascular Disease, Prevention, Education and Treatment Act.

19 SECTION 4. This act shall become effective September 1, 2000.

20 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, dated 2-24-00 -
21 DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.