

An Act relating to children; amending 10 O.S. 2001, Section 83, which relates to liability of father to support child; conforming statutory reference; removing certain procedures for establishment of paternity and temporary support orders; providing procedure for name change in certain circumstances; creating the Uniform Parentage Act; providing short title; defining terms; stating applicability of act; stating effect of act on certain laws; specifying jurisdiction under this act; stating requirements to establish certain relationship; stating rights of certain child; stating applicability of certain relationship; creating certain presumption under specified circumstances; permitting certain parties to sign certain acknowledgment; specifying contents in certain acknowledgment; stating circumstances causing certain acknowledgment to be void or voidable; establishing validity of certain denial; directing execution of certain documents; stating effect of certain documents; prohibiting fee for certain filing; establishing time period for signing certain document; allowing challenge of certain document under certain circumstances; stating burden of proof for certain proceeding; establishing procedures for certain proceeding; stating applicability of certain document from another state; requiring Department of Human Services to prescribe certain forms; authorizing State Department of Health to release certain copies under specified circumstances; requiring Department of Human Services to promulgate certain rules; stating applicability of certain article; permitting certain entities to order specified testing; specifying type and requirements of certain testing; establishing procedures for certain testing; stating contents of report of certain testing; providing for admissibility of certain testing; creating rebuttable presumption of paternity; establishing responsibility for certain costs; prohibiting certain testing under specified circumstances; authorizing court to order certain testing of specified individuals; allowing certain proceeding; specifying rules for certain proceeding; stating eligibility to maintain certain proceeding; allowing joinder of certain parties in specified proceeding; clarifying jurisdiction in certain proceeding; stating venue for certain proceeding; establishing time period for commencement of certain proceeding; allowing court to deny certain motion under specified circumstances; stating factors to consider in denial of certain motion; requiring appointment of guardian ad litem under certain circumstances; establishing procedures for certain expert testimony; establishing procedures for enforcement of order for certain testing; requiring court to issue certain temporary orders under specified circumstances; requiring application of certain rules for specified adjudication; allowing court to close certain proceeding; establishing confidentiality of certain records; stating orders required or permitted by the court under certain circumstances; stating effect of certain determination; construing provisions; stating applicability of act to certain proceedings; amending 56 O.S. 2001, Section 238.6B, which relates to notice of paternity; conforming statutory reference; modifying procedures related to establishment of paternity; increasing certain percentage; modifying specified time period; updating reference to certain entity; amending 63 O.S. 2001, Section 1-311.3, which relates to affidavits acknowledging paternity; conforming statutory reference; conforming certain procedures; amending 63 O.S. 2001, Section 1-321, which relates to birth certificates; modifying procedure and authority to change surname of certain children; repealing 10 O.S. 2001, Sections 1, 1.1, 1.2, 2, 3, 70, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 314, O.S.L. 2002, 71, 76.1, 77.1, 86, 89, 89.1, 89.3, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506 and 508 (10 O.S. Supp. 2005, Section 70), which relate to parentage and genetic testing; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.