

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 50th Legislature (2006)

HOUSE BILL 2934

By: Richardson

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to insurance; requiring certain health care service entities to provide certain information to health care providers; providing for codification; 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 1250.17 of Title 36, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Any entity responsible for payment of health care services, including, but not limited to, all entities that pay or administer claims on behalf of other entities shall provide a description and copy of coding guidelines, including any underlying bundling, recoding, or other payment process and fee schedules to any hospital, physician, or other health care provider who requests such information within a contract period no later than fifteen (15) days from the date of the request.

The provisions of this section shall not be waived, voided, or nullified by contract.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2006.

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