

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 1357

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7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

8 An Act relating to public health and safety;
9 directing the State Department of Health to develop
10 certain form; specifying content of certain form;
11 requiring certain form to be completed and submitted
12 to specified entities; directing the Department to
13 publish certain form in specified formats; directing
14 the State Board of Health to promulgate certain
15 rules; defining term; providing for codification; and
16 providing an effective date.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 7150 of Title 63, unless there
20 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. The State Department of Health shall develop a universal
22 transfer form to ensure the secure transition of health information
23 between health care settings when a patient is being transferred
24 from one health care facility to another health care facility.

B. The universal transfer form shall include, but shall not be
limited to, the following information:

- 1 1. The identification of the patient and his or her health care
- 2 provider;
- 3 2. The patient's diagnoses;
- 4 3. Medications and medication administration schedules;
- 5 4. The name of the transferring facility;
- 6 5. The name of the receiving facility;
- 7 6. The date of transfer;
- 8 7. Any family or legal representatives of the patient;
- 9 8. The condition of the patient on transfer;
- 10 9. The reason for the transfer of the patient;
- 11 10. Known allergies of the patient;
- 12 11. The patient's pertinent medical history; and
- 13 12. Any advance directive for medical care.

14 C. On and after March 1, 2012, the universal transfer form
15 shall be completed upon the transfer of a patient from one health
16 care facility to another health care facility and shall be provided
17 to the receiving health care facility on or before the patient's
18 arrival. If the patient has identified a primary care physician, a
19 copy of the universal transfer form shall also be provided by the
20 transferring health care facility to the patient's primary care
21 physician within three (3) business days.

22 D. The Department shall publish and make the universal transfer
23 form available on its website on or before January 1, 2012. Such
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1 form shall be available in both a print format and a Continuity of
2 Care Document (CCD) format for electronic health records.

3 E. The State Board of Health may promulgate rules as necessary
4 to implement the provisions of this section, including, but not
5 limited to processes that ensure compliance with all applicable
6 state and federal laws and regulations on medical privacy.

7 F. For purposes of this section, "health care facility" means
8 any public or private entity that is involved in providing health
9 care services, including a hospital, medical center, ambulatory
10 surgical center, long-term care facility, medical training facility,
11 inpatient health care facility, behavioral health facility, or other
12 place where health care services are provided.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2010.

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