

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1357

By: Anderson and Johnson
(Constance) of the Senate

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

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

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

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

22 B. The universal transfer form shall include, but shall not be
23 limited to, the following information:
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- 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. The home of any family or legal representatives of the
9 patient;
- 10 8. The condition of the patient on transfer;
- 11 9. The reason for the transfer of the patient;
- 12 10. Known allergies of the patient;
- 13 11. The patient's pertinent medical history; and
- 14 12. Any advance directive for medical care.

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

23 D. The Department shall publish and make the universal transfer
24 form available on its website on or before January 1, 2012. Such

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, home
12 health agency, or other place where health care services are
13 provided.

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

15 Passed the Senate the 1st day of March, 2010.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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19 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,

20 2010.

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