

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 1826

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to professions and occupations;
8 amending 59 O.S. 2001, Section 567.11, which relates
9 to the Oklahoma Nursing Practice Act; clarifying
10 language; and providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 2001, Section 567.11, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 567.11 The Oklahoma Nursing Practice Act shall not be
15 construed to affect or apply to:

16 1. Gratuitous nursing of the sick by friends or members of the
17 family;

18 2. Registered or licensed practical nurses from any state
19 called in attendance temporarily to a patient in any county in this
20 state;

21 3. The practice of nursing which is associated with a program
22 of study by students enrolled in nursing education programs approved
23 by the Board;

1 4. Persons trained and competency-certified to provide care
2 pursuant to state or federal law, rules or regulations;

3 5. The practice of any legally qualified nurse of another state
4 who is employed by the United States Government or any bureau,
5 division or agency thereof, while in the discharge of his or her
6 official duties;

7 6. The rendering of service by a physician's trained assistant
8 under the direct supervision and control of a licensed physician,
9 all as authorized by Section 492 of this title; or

10 7. The practice of nursing in connection with healing by prayer
11 or spiritual means alone in accordance with the tenets and practice
12 of any well-recognized church or religious denomination provided
13 that no person practicing such nursing holds himself or herself out
14 to be a graduate or registered nurse or licensed practical nurse.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2011.

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