

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 54th Legislature (2014)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR ENGROSSED  
5 HOUSE BILL NO. 2241

By: Nelson, Nollan and Pittman  
of the House

and

Griffin of the Senate

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10 An Act relating to children; amending 10A O.S. 2011,  
11 Section 2-4-101, which relates to juvenile bureaus;  
12 requiring juvenile bureaus to provide certain  
services to certain persons; providing standards for  
services; and providing an effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 10A O.S. 2011, Section 2-4-101, is  
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 2-4-101. A. In each county having a population of  
19 eighty thousand (80,000) or more, as shown by the last preceding  
20 Federal Decennial Census, there is created a juvenile bureau and a  
21 citizens' advisory committee.

22 1. The juvenile bureau shall be responsible for the provision  
23 of juvenile justice services to children, youth, and families

1 located within its county and subject to the jurisdiction of the  
2 juvenile division of that county's district court.

3 2. For the purposes of this section, "juvenile justice  
4 services" may include, but not be limited to:

5 a. services provided to the child or youth to remediate  
6 or alleviate the conditions that led to court  
7 involvement, including educational, vocational-  
8 educational, medical, substance abuse treatment, and  
9 other programs that may be beneficial to the child or  
10 youth,

11 b. services provided to the parent, legal guardian, legal  
12 custodian, stepparent, or other family members or  
13 adults subjecting themselves to the jurisdiction of  
14 the court to remediate or alleviate the conditions  
15 that led to the adjudication of the child or youth,  
16 including programs to strengthen the family unit,  
17 prevent or correct child abuse or neglect, or to  
18 assist the family in providing proper care and  
19 supervision of the child or youth,

20 c. community-based diversion and preventive services and  
21 programs to assist in diverting children and youth  
22 from the juvenile justice system. Such programs may  
23 include, but not be limited to, medical, educational,  
24 vocational, social and psychological guidance,

1           training, counseling, substance abuse treatment,  
2           recreation, mediation, crisis intervention,  
3           transitional living, independent living and other  
4           rehabilitative services, and

5           d. services or programs provided in collaboration with  
6           other juvenile justice agencies or programs as defined  
7           in Section 2-7-902 of this title.

8           B. In each county having a duly constituted juvenile bureau as  
9 of January 1, 2005, as provided for in subsection A of this section,  
10 the juvenile bureau shall remain in place and continue in operation.  
11 No other counties shall establish juvenile bureaus.

12           SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2014.

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