

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 272

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8 An Act relating to public health and safety;  
9 providing for definition; requiring the Oklahoma  
10 Health Care Authority to conduct a feasibility study;  
11 directing certain results be included on study;  
12 providing for delivering of study to certain  
13 subcommittees; providing for noncodification;  
14 providing for an effective date; and declaring an  
15 emergency.

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

17 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be  
18 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

19 A. For purposes of this section:

20 1. "Dual eligible person" means low-income seniors and younger  
21 persons with disabilities who are enrolled in both the Medicare and  
22 Medicaid programs;

23 2. In accordance with Section 5010 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma  
24 Statutes, the Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall conduct a  
feasibility study of current and potential care coordination models  
for persons who are dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare that

1 may be implemented in the state; and explore options for cost  
2 containment and delivery alternatives for those persons, that are  
3 consistent with the mission of the agency. Study results shall  
4 include, but not be limited to:

- 5 a. an assessment of the present environment in which dual  
6 eligible persons are receiving care,
- 7 b. analysis of current initiatives, both statewide and  
8 nationwide, with the aim of more cost effective,  
9 coordinated care for dual eligible persons. This  
10 shall include a feasibility analysis of other state  
11 approaches with special attention paid to  
12 applicability to Oklahoma infrastructure and waiver  
13 and/or state plan authorization from the Centers for  
14 Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS),
- 15 c. input from stakeholders on current models available to  
16 dual eligible persons that emphasize strategies for  
17 cost containment and delivery alternatives, and
- 18 d. development of recommendations accompanied with any  
19 associated projected expenditures or cost savings.

20 B. The Authority shall prepare and deliver the study to the  
21 Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services and the  
22 Appropriations and Budget Subcommittee on Public Health and Social  
23 Services by December 31, 2013.

24 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2013.

1       SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
2 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby  
3 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
4 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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