

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 54th Legislature (2013)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 1347

By: Kirby of the House

and

David of the Senate

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11 An Act relating to public health; creating Fayelen's
12 Law; defining term; requiring birthing facilities to
13 administer pulse oximetry screenings to newborns;
14 providing for promulgation of rules; providing for
15 codification; providing an effective date; and
16 declaring an emergency.

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 1-550.4 of Title 63, unless
20 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 This section shall be known and may be cited as "Fayelen's Law".

22 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
23 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-550.5 of Title 63, unless
24 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

1 A. As used in this section, "birthing facility" means an
2 inpatient or ambulatory health care facility licensed by the State
3 Department of Health that provides birthing and newborn care
4 services.

5 B. The State Department of Health shall require each birthing
6 facility to perform a pulse oximetry screening on every newborn in
7 its care prior to discharge from the birthing facility.

8 C. The State Board of Health shall promulgate rules necessary
9 to carry out the purposes of this act.

10 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2013.

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

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16 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, dated 02/18/2013 -
17 DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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