

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1667

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2011,
8 Section 1210.199, which relates to the Dustin Rhodes
9 and Lindsay Steed CPR Training Act; requiring that
10 certain students receive instruction in
11 cardiopulmonary resuscitation and other emergency
12 assistance techniques between certain grade levels;
13 directing the State Board of Education to establish a
14 monitoring procedure; requiring the use of
15 psychomotor skills in certain program; directing that
16 program shall be based upon certain instructional
17 programs; directing certain governing boards to
18 ensure a minimum number of certified personnel;
19 providing for instructors; permitting use of certain
20 personnel; requiring certain instructor for
21 certification instruction; providing a definition;
22 and providing an effective date.

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

24 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 1210.199, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 1210.199. A. This act shall be known and may be cited
as the "Dustin Rhodes and Lindsay Steed CPR Training Act".

B. ~~All~~ Beginning with the 2015-2016 school year, all students
enrolled ~~in physical education in classes in grades nine through~~
~~twelve~~ in the public schools of this state ~~may receive instruction~~

1 ~~in the techniques of~~ and in the private schools accredited by the
2 State Board of Education shall receive instruction in
3 cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the ~~Heimlich maneuver sufficient~~
4 ~~to enable the students to give emergency assistance to victims of~~
5 ~~cardiac arrest or choking~~ use of an automated external
6 defibrillator, in accordance with subsection C of this section, at
7 least once between seventh grade and graduation from high school.
8 The instruction may be provided as a part of any course. A student
9 shall receive the instruction at least once prior to graduation.
10 All students enrolled in physical education classes in grades nine
11 through twelve may receive instruction in the techniques of the
12 Heimlich maneuver.

13 C. ~~The State Department of Education may administer the~~
14 ~~cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the Heimlich maneuver instruction~~
15 ~~program and train teaching personnel pursuant to rules adopted by~~
16 ~~the State Board of Education. Teaching materials and training~~
17 ~~courses provided by the American Red Cross, the American Heart~~
18 ~~Association and similar organizations may be utilized~~ The State
19 Board of Education shall establish a procedure for monitoring the
20 requirements set forth in subsection B of this section. Instruction
21 in cardiopulmonary resuscitation shall incorporate psychomotor
22 skills training and shall be based upon an instructional program
23 developed by the American Heart Association, the American Red Cross,
24 or an instructional program which is nationally recognized and is

1 based upon the most current national evidence-based Emergency
2 Cardiovascular Care guidelines for cardiopulmonary resuscitation and
3 the use of an automated external defibrillator.

4 D. Each public school district board of education and each
5 governing board of a private school accredited by the State Board of
6 Education shall ensure that a minimum of one certified teacher and
7 one noncertified staff member at each school site receives training
8 in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the Heimlich maneuver each
9 year.

10 E. School districts may use state funds allocated to the school
11 district for professional development to pay for or to reimburse
12 teachers and support personnel for training in the administration of
13 first aid and techniques of cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the
14 Heimlich maneuver.

15 F. Nothing in this section shall be construed to impose
16 liability on any school district or school district employee for
17 injury or death of any student, teacher, or other person resulting
18 from any cardiopulmonary or choking incident or to absolve any
19 school district or school employee of liability that might otherwise
20 exist under The Governmental Tort Claims Act.

21 G. For purposes of this section, "psychomotor skills" means the
22 use of hands-on practice to support cognitive learning.

23 H. A school district may use emergency medical technicians,
24 paramedics, police officers, firefighters, representatives of the

1 American Heart Association or the American Red Cross, teachers,
2 other school employees or other similarly qualified individuals to
3 provide the instruction prescribed by this section. Instruction
4 provided pursuant to this section is not required to result in
5 certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. If instruction is
6 intended to result in certification in cardiopulmonary
7 resuscitation, the course instructor shall be authorized by the
8 American Heart Association, the American Red Cross or a similar
9 nationally recognized association to provide the instruction.

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

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