

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 757

By: Jech of the Senate

3 and

4 Wright of the House

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6 An Act relating to hospitals; requiring certain
7 facilities to submit certain information to the State
8 Department of Health; requiring certain facilities to
9 provide certain information to certain persons;
10 directing facilities to provide certain notice at
11 certain time; providing certain construction;
12 directing promulgation of rules; providing for
13 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-725 of Title 63, unless there
17 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. Each hospital, general medical surgical hospital,
19 specialized hospital, critical access hospital and emergency
20 hospital, as such terms are defined by Section 1-701 of Title 63 of
21 the Oklahoma Statutes and each ambulatory surgical center as defined
22 by Section 2657 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall:

23 1. Beginning with the quarter ending September 30, 2018, and at
24 least annually thereafter, provide to the State Department of
Health, utilizing electronic health records software, information on
the one hundred most common medical procedures and the fifty most

1 common imaging procedures by volume, along with the related CPT and
2 HCPCS codes; and

3 2. Beginning with the quarter ending September 30, 2018, and at
4 least annually thereafter, provide to the Department, utilizing
5 electronic health records software, the average dollar amount the
6 hospital or ambulatory surgical center bills to private insurers for
7 each procedure and the average amount the hospital or ambulatory
8 surgical center receives in reimbursement from private insurers for
9 each procedure specified in paragraph 1 of subsection A of this
10 section.

11 B. Hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers shall provide the
12 information required by subsection A of this section in writing to
13 an individual or the individual's legal guardian upon request.

14 C. Hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers shall inform
15 patients of their right to obtain the information specified by
16 subsection A of this section at the earliest reasonable and
17 practicable time after admitted to the hospital or ambulatory
18 surgical center.

19 D. The provision of information required by subsection B of
20 this act shall not be construed as an invoice, contract or any other
21 contractual agreement between the facility providing the information
22 and the individual receiving the information.

23 E. The State Board of Health shall promulgate rules to
24 implement the provisions of this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

Passed the Senate the 8th day of March, 2017.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2017.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives