

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

4 ENGROSSED SENATE
5 BILL NO. 972

 By: Simpson and Pittman of the
 Senate

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7 Ownbey of the House

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9 An Act relating to the Oklahoma Health Care Authority
10 Act; directing the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to
11 examine the feasibility of a state plan amendment to
12 the Oklahoma Medicaid program for diabetes self-
13 management training (DSMT); requiring the Authority
14 to submit certain report; requiring the Authority to
15 draft certain state plan amendment under certain
16 conditions; providing definition; providing for
17 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5009.6 of Title 63, unless there
21 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 A. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall examine the
23 feasibility of a state plan amendment to the Oklahoma Medicaid
24 Program for diabetes self-management training (DSMT).

 B. By December 1, 2018, the Authority shall submit a report to
the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of

1 Representatives and the Governor estimating the potential costs to
2 the state, clinical findings, reviews of pilot projects and research
3 from other states on the effects of DSMT on persons with a diabetes
4 diagnosis.

5 C. Beginning July 1, 2019, and subject to the availability of
6 funding, the Authority shall draft a state plan amendment for DSMT
7 for persons with a diabetes diagnosis. The provisions of this
8 subsection shall only apply if the report required by subsection B
9 of this section demonstrates DSMT to be evidence-based and essential
10 to qualifying participants in the Oklahoma Medicaid Program.

11 D. As used in this section, "diabetes self-management training
12 (DSMT)" means the process of facilitating the knowledge, skill and
13 ability necessary for diabetes self-care. This process requires
14 incorporating the patient's unique needs and experiences into an
15 individualized education and support plan that promotes new
16 behaviors and solutions, including, but not limited to, healthy
17 eating, physical activity, self-monitoring and medication use.

18 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.
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20 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, dated 03/27/2018 -
21 DO PASS, As Coauthored.
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