

SENATE FLOOR VERSION

February 26, 2018

AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 1282

By: Brecheen of the Senate

and

Roberts (Sean) of the House

[state Medicaid program - ways to reduce program
costs of the state Medicaid program - certain report
- noncodification - effective date]

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

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

A. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall, in conjunction
with the Department of Human Services, study and make
recommendations to the Legislature on potential ways to reduce
program costs of the state Medicaid program without jeopardizing
vital services. The Authority's and Department's study shall
include, but not be limited to:

1. Ways to reduce program costs of the State Medicaid program
without jeopardizing vital services;

2. Ways to reduce recipient waste, fraud and abuse in the state
Medicaid program;

1 3. Ways to modernize and improve the state Medicaid program
2 through waivers from the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
3 Services;

4 4. Eligibility as a percentage of the federal poverty level in
5 each population covered under the state Medicaid program, compared
6 to other states;

7 5. Models of other state Medicaid programs; and

8 6. Medicaid reimbursement rates in other states.

9 B. The Authority and the Department shall submit a report of
10 their findings and recommendations no later than October 31, 2019,
11 to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the
12 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

14 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
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