

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 1353

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to assistant physicians; defining terms; specifying eligibility criteria; directing Board to create certain license and license duly qualified applicants; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 542.1 of Title 59, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

As used in this act:

1. "Assistant physician" means a health care professional licensed by the Board to practice as an assistant physician under physician supervision; and

2. "Board" means the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 542.2 of Title 59, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

1 To be eligible for licensure as an assistant physician pursuant  
2 to this act, an applicant shall:

3 1. Be a resident and citizen of the United States or is a legal  
4 resident alien;

5 2. Not have completed a postgraduate residency and shall have  
6 successfully completed Step 1 and Step 2 of the United States  
7 Medical Licensing Examination or the equivalent of such steps of any  
8 other State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision approved  
9 medical licensing examination within the two-year period immediately  
10 preceding application for licensure as an assistant physician, but  
11 in no event more than three (3) years after graduation from a  
12 medical college or osteopathic medical college; and

13 3. Be proficient in the English language.

14 SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 542.3 of Title 59, unless there  
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 The State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision shall  
18 create an assistant physician license and shall license duly  
19 qualified applicants.

20 SECTION 4. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

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