

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR ENGROSSED
SENATE BILL NO. 497

By: Standridge of the Senate

and

Frix of the House

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

[health insurance - insurer payment or reimbursement
to pharmacist - codification - 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 3436.6 of Title 36, unless there
is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

An insurer, as defined in Section 3634.2 of Title 36 of the
Oklahoma Statutes, shall provide payment or reimbursement to a
pharmacist for providing a health care service to an individual if:

1. The pharmacist provided any of the following health care
services pursuant to Section 353.30 of Title 59 of the Oklahoma
Statutes:

a. the management of drug therapy,

1 b. the administration of immunizations, or

2 c. the administration of therapeutic injections; and

3 2. The health benefit policy, contract or agreement of the
4 individual provides for payment or reimbursement of the service.

5 3. When a patient has signed an assignment of benefits
6 agreement with a provider, the carrier must reimburse the provider
7 directly.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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