

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 3457

By: Russ of the House

3 and

4 Weaver of the Senate

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7 [Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse
8 Services - requiring no less than a certain
9 proportion of potential funds be expended on
10 certain services - effective date -

11 emergency]

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

16 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
17 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-312 of Title 43A, unless there
18 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

19 A. Of any settlement proceeds appropriated to the Department of
20 Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, no less than two percent
21 (2%) of such appropriation shall be utilized by the Department to
22 contract for alcohol and drug rehabilitation services, including
23 those offered by faith-based organizations.

24 B. As used in this section:

1 1. "Settlement proceeds" means proceeds from any default or
2 agreed judgment, consent decree or other settlement of litigation or
3 claim brought by the Attorney General on behalf of the State of
4 Oklahoma against an opioid manufacturer; and

5 2. "Faith-based" means an organization, association, facility
6 or program that offers services within a context of religious
7 beliefs that are articulated by the organization's, association's,
8 facility's or program's mission statement, affiliations or
9 sponsoring entities.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2020.

11 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
12 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
13 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
14 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

15 Passed the House of Representatives the 10th day of March, 2020.

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Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

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Passed the Senate the ___ day of _____, 2020.

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