

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 57th Legislature (2020)

SENATE BILL 1767

By: Newhouse

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to prevention and control of disease;  
authorizing the State Department of Health to  
establish statewide syndromic surveillance system for  
certain purpose; 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 1-503.1 of Title 63, unless  
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The State Department of Health shall have the authority, in  
collaboration with county health departments, city-county health  
departments, the statewide health information exchange, hospitals,  
laboratories, healthcare providers and other interested parties, to  
establish a statewide syndromic surveillance system to obtain  
information needed to monitor, control and prevent the occurrence  
and spread of communicable diseases, environmental contaminations  
and bioterrorist events.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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