

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	HB3368
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Impact:	Possible positive impact to non-appropriated agency. Dependent of number of non-compliance fines charged to practitioners.

Research Analysis

The CS to HB 3368 makes insurers who fail to compensate out-of-network practitioners liable for damages of 150% of the charged amount, provided that practitioner has met all the necessary requirements for benefit assignment. After notice and hearing, the Insurance Commissioner may impose an additional fine on the insurer. These fines will be collected in the State Insurance Commissioner Revolving Fund. Out-of-network providers must accept the payment from an insurer in full and are prohibited from balance billing a patient. Out-of-network providers violating this provision will be liable for damages.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure has a possible positive fiscal impact to the Oklahoma Department of Insurance (OID), a non-appropriated agency. The impact will be dependent of the number of fines issued for non-compliance.

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Other Considerations

None.