

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 280
Version:	CCR
Request Number:	
Author:	Rep. McEntire
Date:	5/22/2019
Impact:	OHCA: Appropriation provided for partial FY-20: \$20.7 million

Research Analysis

The CCS for SB 280 directs the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA) to modify its incentive reimbursement rate plan for nursing facilities to one that focuses on improving resident outcomes and quality of life. OHCA is required to establish an advisory group consisting of consumer, provider and state agency representation to recommend quality measures to be included in the pay-for-performance program and provide ongoing feedback. Initially, the program will be based on improvements in the percentage of long-stay, high-risk, residents who develop pressure ulcers, lose too much weight, develop a urinary tract infection or receive an antipsychotic medication.

Other provisions of the bill include:

- Increasing by five the number of long-term care ombudsmen employed by DHS;
- Increasing the personal needs allowance for residents from \$50 to \$75 per month;
- Authorizing facilities, beginning January 1, 2020, to implement 24-hour based staff scheduling;
- Increases the direct care service rate from 2.86 to 2.9 hours per resident per day;
- Prohibits nursing facility administrators from being included in the direct-care staff to resident ratio; and
- Beginning January 1, 2020, requiring clinical nursing facility employees to receive at least four hours of Alzheimer's or dementia training per year.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CCR on SB 280, which increases the rate payment methodology for the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA), is determined to cost the agency an additional \$20,706,739 in appropriated dollars for 9 months of FY-20.

These monies were provided to the agency by HB 2765. No further funding needed.

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Other Considerations

None.

