BILL SUMMARY

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Bill No.: SB 280 Version: ENGR

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Author: Rep. McEntire and Sen. Simpson Date: 4/1/2019 Impact: \$34,885,025 state share

Research Analysis

SB 280 directs the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA) to establish an advisory group to recommend quality measures to be included in a nursing facility pay-for-performance program; increases by five the number of long-term care ombudsmen employed by DHS and funded by the Nursing Facility Quality of Care fund; increases the personal needs allowance for residents from \$50 to \$75 per month; authorizes facilities, beginning January 1, 2020, to implement 24-hour based staff scheduling and increases the direct care service rate from 2.86 to 2.9 hours per resident per day; prohibits a nursing facility administrator from being included in the direct-care staff-to-resident ratio; modifies the methodology used by OHCA to calculate the direct care rate component, and requires 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 Oklahoma Health Care Authority estimates the provisions of SB 280 will cost approximately \$34 million in state dollars. Total state share is \$40,723,635 less \$5,838,610 in the Quality of Care Fee portion of the state share for a state cost of \$34,885,025.

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Other Considerations

None.

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