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Bill Analysis

SB 828 defines "situational neglect" in the Oklahoma Children's Code to mean neglect that occurs because of a specific situation or crisis that only lasts a limited period of time. Unless a child subject to situational neglect is in imminent danger, the Department of Human Services is prohibited from removing the child from the home. The Department is further directed to assist the parent or legal guardian to obtain the services necessary to maintain the in-home care and correct the conditions leading to the situational neglect.

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