

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 1061

By: McEntire

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Child Abuse Prevention Act; providing for dissemination of information related to the termination of parental rights; requiring the Department of Health to provide birth record information; requiring the Office of Child Abuse Prevention to include certain statistics in annual report; providing for review and assessment; 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 1-227.10 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The Department of Human Services shall grant access to the Office of Child Abuse Prevention to the identifying information of individuals who have had their parental rights terminated and the conditions which led to the making of the finding which resulted in the termination of the rights of the parent pursuant to the provisions of Section 1-4-502 of Title 10A of the Oklahoma Statutes.

1       B. The Department of Health shall supply the Office of Child  
2 Abuse Prevention with birth record information for a child born to  
3 an individual whose identifying information has been provided under  
4 subsection A of this section.

5       C. The Office of Child Abuse Prevention shall include these  
6 statistics in the annual report outlined in Section 1-227.2 of Title  
7 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

8       D. The Office of Child Abuse Prevention shall review the record  
9 provided by the Department of Human Services and, when appropriate,  
10 provide an assessment of the family and offer services, if needed.

11       SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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