

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 3319

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to insurance; providing for insurer
8 payment or reimbursement to a Doctor of Pharmacy for
9 certain services provided; defining term; providing
10 for codification; and providing an effective date.

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12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3634.6 of Title 36, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. An insurer, as defined in Section 3634.2 of Title 36 of the
17 Oklahoma Statutes, shall provide payment or reimbursement to a
18 Doctor of Pharmacy, as defined in Section 353.1 of Title 59 of the
19 Oklahoma Statutes, for providing advanced pharmacist service to an
20 individual if:

21 1. The Doctor of Pharmacy provided any of the following
22 advanced pharmacist services pursuant to Section 353.30 of Title 59
23 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

24 a. the management of drug therapy,

1 b. the administration of immunizations, or

2 c. the administration of therapeutic injections; and

3 2. The health benefit policy, contract or agreement of the
4 individual provides for payment or reimbursement of the service.

5 3. When a patient has signed an assignment of benefits
6 agreement with a provider, the carrier shall reimburse the provider
7 directly.

8 B. As used in this section, "advanced pharmacist services"
9 means providing patient assessment, interpreting drug-therapy
10 related tests and participating in education and evaluation of
11 disease state management and complex medication regimens by a Doctor
12 of Pharmacy with one of the following board certifications from the
13 Board of Pharmacy Specialties: ambulatory care, cardiology, critical
14 care, compound sterile preparation, geriatric, infectious disease,
15 nutrition support, nuclear, oncology, pediatric, psychiatric,
16 pharmacotherapy and solid organ transplantation.

17 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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