

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 57th Legislature (2020)

SENATE BILL 1443

By: McCortney

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to pharmacists; requiring an insurer to provide payment or reimbursement to a pharmacist in certain circumstances; 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 6970 of Title 36, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

An insurer, as defined in Section 3634.2 of Title 36 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall provide payment or reimbursement to a pharmacist for providing a health care service to an individual if:

1. The pharmacist provided any of the following health care services pursuant to Section 353.30 of Title 59 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

- a. The management of drug therapy,
- b. The administration of immunizations, or
- c. The administration of therapeutic injections;

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

3. The patient has signed an assignment of benefits agreement with a provider, the carrier must reimburse the pharmacist directly.

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

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