

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB1739
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Impact:	Subject to available funds: See below

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Research Analysis

HB 1739, as introduced, creates the “Connecting Futures Act,” which would allow the Department of Human Services, subject to funding, to create a pilot program to address the needs of minors not in state or tribal custody separated from and not supported by their parents or guardians. This act will not deprive a parent or legal guardian of any parental or legal authority.

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Fiscal Analysis

The “Connecting Futures Act” would allow OKDHS to pilot a volunteer program to support eligible minors in becoming self-reliant and productive citizens. The pilot program would leverage (10) volunteers (1) Programs Supervisor and (1) Programs Field Representative to help obtain documentation, provide case management, advocacy, and referrals to eligible minors.

The total costs to offer services to 100 eligible minors would be \$225,220 for the first year; and \$217,330 in subsequent years; 100% State dollars.

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Other Considerations

None.