

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB406
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Impact:	No impact

Research Analysis

SB 406 authorizes the Oklahoma's Children's Hospital to extend services to persons 21 years or older. The measure strikes provisions regarding payment for services to the hospital.

The measure updates the managing entity of Oklahoma Children's Hospital and facilities to be the University Hospitals Authority. Additionally, the measure authorizes the University Hospitals Authority to designate other names under which the Oklahoma Medical Center may operate.

The measure consolidates the Oklahoma Poison Control Center to be within the Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Pharmacy. The measure also updates the descriptions of the entities under the umbrella of "University Hospitals Authority" which now include:

- University Hospital
- Oklahoma Children's Hospital
- The inpatient and outpatient hospital
- Clinical facilities
- Office and research buildings
- Facilities and property owned or under the management of the University Hospitals Authority or the University Hospitals Trust

The measure allows the University Hospitals Authority to assign its inpatient and outpatient hospital and clinical facilities, research buildings, facilities or property under its control to the University Hospital, Oklahoma Children's Hospital, or any other division of University Hospitals. It also updates the name of the "Children's Hospital of Oklahoma" to "Oklahoma Children's Hospital" and prohibits the use of either term without the express permission of the University Hospitals Trust.

Lastly, the measure modifies, deletes, and repeals obsolete language and updates names of facilities under the University Hospitals Authority.

Prepared By: Dan Brooks

Fiscal Analysis

From UHA: There is no fiscal impact. The primary purpose is to rename Children's Hospital or Children's Hospital of Oklahoma in statute to "Oklahoma Children's Hospital" and says we own the name. It also takes outdated references to specific buildings out of statute. For instance, statute says Children's Hospital is in Nicholson, Garrison and Bielstein towers. Its hasn't been in those towers in over 15 years.

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Other Considerations

None.