

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

4 HOUSE BILL 3330

By: Roe of the House

5 and

6 **Rosino** of the Senate

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9 AS INTRODUCED

10 An Act relating to mental health; providing for
11 definitions; mandating certain application
12 information for behavioral health professionals;
13 mandating certain renewal information for behavioral
14 health professionals; providing for promulgation of
15 rules; providing for annual report to the
16 Legislature; providing for codification; and
17 providing an effective date.

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

19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3-335 of Title 43A, unless there
21 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 A. As used in this section:

23 1. "Board" means any of the following:

24 a. the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists,

 b. the State Board of Behavioral Health Licensure,

- c. the Oklahoma State Board of Licensed Social Workers,
or
- d. the Oklahoma Board of Licensed Alcohol and Drug
Counselors;

2. "Licensed mental health professional" means an individual who holds any type of license pursuant to the:

- a. Psychologists Licensing Act,
- b. Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact,
- c. Licensed Professional Counselors Act,
- d. Janet Phillips Act of 2023,
- e. Marital and Family Therapist Licensure Act,
- f. Social Worker's Licensing Act, or
- g. Licensed Alcohol and Drug Counselors Act; and

3. "Certified mental health professional" means an individual who holds any type of certification pursuant to the Unified Community Mental Health Services Act.

B. Every applicant for a behavioral health certification or license issued by a designated board shall provide the following information:

1. Demographic information, including race, ethnicity, gender, date of birth, and languages spoken;
2. Educational background, training information, internship information, if applicable, and location of internship or program attended; and

1 3. If the applicant has any other mental health certifications
2 or licenses.

3 C. Every mental health professional who is renewing a
4 behavioral health certification or license issued by a designated
5 board shall report the following information:

6 1. Changes to demographic information required upon initial
7 application for licensure or certification;

8 2. Workforce retention information, including, but not limited
9 to, anticipated changes in licensure status or retirement; and

10 3. Workforce practice trends, including, but not limited to:

11 a. practice specialization, if applicable,

12 b. practice setting,

13 c. practice location and physical address, if applicable,

14 d. service delivery area, by county,

15 e. the average weekly number of hours providing direct
16 services,

17 f. the type of behavioral health care services provided,

18 g. the use of telehealth, and

19 h. predominant payer source, if providing direct
20 services.

21 D. The boards designated in subsection A of this section shall
22 promulgate rules to effectuate the provisions of this section.

1 E. The boards designated in subsection A of this section shall
2 furnish annual licensure and certification data to the Oklahoma
3 Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

4 F. The Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse
5 Services shall compile the information collected in this section
6 into an annual report. The report shall not contain any personal
7 identifying information. The annual report shall be posted on the
8 agency's website and submitted to the President Pro Tempore of the
9 Oklahoma State Senate, the Speaker of the Oklahoma House of
10 Representatives, and the chairs of the committees with
11 responsibility over public health in both chambers of the
12 Legislature.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.

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15 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, dated 02/15/2024 -
16 DO PASS, As Coauthored.