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Bill Analysis

SB 1419 directs the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to establish a program under which a family member of a Medicaid enrollee may be certified as a home health aide by the State Department of Health. The measure requires such family members to complete a criminal background check as well as relevant training and evaluations. After receiving such certification, the family member shall comply with the provisions of the Home Care Act and rules promulgated by the State Commissioner of Health relating to home health aides. Family members certified in this manner may provide skilled care tasks. The measure provides that care provided by such a person shall be reimbursed to a home care agency at a rate established by the Authority.

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