

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 698 removes the exemption from the provisions of the Oklahoma Child Care Facilities Licensing Act provided to summer youth camps accredited by a national standard-setting agency or affiliated with a national nonprofit organization. The measure also provides that programs that provide specialized activity or instruction for children must operate no more than 5 hours per week to qualify for the exemption. Additionally, the measure lowers the maximum hours a child care facility seeking the exemption may operate from 15 hours a week to 10 hours a week, from 10 weeks to 8 weeks annually, or from 8 hours a day to 6 hours a day in the summer. The measure also provides that state child care assistance subsidy payments may only be paid to licensed programs.

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