

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 April 6, 2023

3 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
4 BILL NO. 2722

By: Hefner and Deck of the  
House

5 and

6 Montgomery of the Senate

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9 An Act relating to ABLE accounts and programs;  
10 requiring executive agencies, boards, commissions and  
11 departments to make information available regarding  
12 ABLE accounts; specifying methods for distribution of  
13 information; requiring contracting entities to  
14 provide information regarding ABLE accounts;  
15 providing for codification; providing an effective  
16 date; and declaring an emergency.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4001.6 of Title 56, unless there  
20 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. Any agency, board, commission, department or entity  
22 organized within the executive branch that has contact with persons  
23 who might be able to utilize the provisions of the Oklahoma ABLE Act  
24 and establish an account for an eligible beneficiary shall have  
information readily accessible to persons with whom the agency might  
have contact, in the form of a brochure or other publication or by

1 making information about the program available on the agency website  
2 or both.

3 B. Subsection A of this section shall be applicable to:

4 1. The State Department of Education;

5 2. The Oklahoma State Department of Health;

6 3. The Department of Human Services;

7 4. The Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse  
8 Services;

9 5. The Department of Rehabilitation Services; and

10 6. The Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs.

11 C. Any entity that enters into contract with the governmental  
12 entities described by subsection A of this section shall also, as a  
13 condition of the contract, make information available using the same  
14 or similar methods as those used by the executive branch entities.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2023.

16 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
17 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
18 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
19 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

20 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT  
21 April 6, 2023 - DO PASS

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