

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

Pending

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Fiscal Analysis

The FULLPCS1 to HB 1853 authorizes an enrollee to pay for health care services out-of-pocket from an out-of-network licensed provider and for insurance providers to count certain payments towards their cost share.

According to officials from the Oklahoma Health Care Authority, they do not expect the HealthChoice plan to incur additional claims if the member makes a direct payment to the provider. However, they did state, an item of concern is the potential for additional administration or confusion for the health plan to receive claims from the enrollees versus the providers. The requirements of the measure do not apply to the state Medicaid program.

In its current form, HB 1853 is not anticipated to have a direct fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

The amendment does not change the fiscal impact of the measure.

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Other Considerations

None.