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Research Analysis

HB 3647, as introduced, creates the "Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative Act of 2026," which gives the Office of the State Coordinator for Health Information Exchange the authority to oversee the Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative. The measure provides that all health care providers in the state may report data to and use the state-designated health information exchange organization and the Office will begin implementation of this requirement by July 1, 2026.

This measure creates the Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative, starting July 1, 2027. On a date determined by the Oklahoma Health Care Authority Board, a submitting entity must submit claims data, unique identifiers, and geographic and demographic information for covered individuals, and provider files to the state-designated entity for health information exchange. Any entity excluded from the definition of submitting entity can voluntarily submit this data, but is not required to submit. The State Department of Health must submit all public health data and vital statistics data collected for integration into the Initiative database. Data will be treated as confidential and will be exempt from disclosure as a record under the Oklahoma Open Records Act and are not subject to subpoena except to the extent under Oklahoma Insurance Code. Data may only be collected, stored, used, disclosed, or released in accordance with state and federal data privacy and security law, Board rules, and data government policies established by the Exchange. Data and other information in the Initiative will be available when disclosed in a manner that protects privacy and to state programs for use in improving health care in the state. Data must not be used to disclose trade secrets of submitting entities.

This act will not be construed to supersede, limit, amend, or nullify any data privacy or security law, rule, or policy. A submitting entity, except for state or federal agencies, that fails to submit data as required may be subject to a fine, which a schedule of will be adopted by the Insurance Commissioner. The Insurance Department will retain a portion of fine proceeds to cover the cost of administration and the Oklahoma Health Care Authority will receive the rest of the proceeds to fund operation of the Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3647 creates the Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative, a statewide database of health care information. The database will be managed by the State Coordinator for Health Information Exchange which is housed within the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA). The measure requires the State Department of Health to submit all public health data. OSDH does not anticipate additional costs; however, if system upgrades or replacements are necessary

to comply with the Oklahoma Health Care Transparency Initiative Act of 2026, a fiscal impact may occur.

The Insurance Commissioner will set fines for entities that fail to submit required data. Fine proceeds will cover OID's administrative costs, and any remaining funds will go to OHCA to fund operations of the Initiative. OHCA anticipates administrative costs to be minimal and absorbed within existing resources; therefore, no impact on the state budget.

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Other Considerations

None.