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Bill Analysis

SB 439 provides that the 2 recommending physicians as it relates to medical marijuana for minors may not be located at the same physical address. At least 1 of the physicians must also attest that the minor applicant has been under the care of the physician or referred to by a physician who has cared for the minor for not less than 1 year, or not less than 5 years if if the minor patient has only been seen by the physician through telemedicine, prior to recommending the use of medical marijuana. Additionally, the measure directs the Executive Director of the Oklahoma Medical Marijuana Authority to issue a list of qualifying medical conditions for a medical marijuana patient license. Physicians are required to conduct an in-person examination of a patient unless the patient is certified as home-bound.

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