

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 April 9, 2024

3 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
4 BILL NO. 3737

By: Dempsey of the House

5 and

6 Garvin and Hicks of the  
7 Senate

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9 An Act relating to schools; directing the State  
10 Department of Education to develop type 1 diabetes  
11 informational materials; requiring periodic update of  
12 materials; mandating materials be made available on  
13 Department website; requiring school districts and  
14 charter schools to make materials accessible at  
15 specified times; providing for content of materials;  
16 providing for codification; providing an effective  
17 date; and declaring an emergency.

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

19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1210.196 of Title 70, unless  
21 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 A. The State Department of Education, in coordination with any  
23 other entity the Department deems appropriate, shall develop type 1  
24 diabetes informational materials for parents and guardians of  
students. The informational materials shall undergo periodic  
updates as necessary and shall be made available to each school  
district and charter school through the Department's website.

1 B. Beginning August 1, 2024, the school district board of  
2 education and governing board of a charter school shall make copies  
3 of the type 1 diabetes informational materials accessible, either  
4 digitally or with printed materials, to the parent or guardian of a  
5 student when the student is initially enrolled in the school and  
6 when the student enters sixth grade.

7 C. The type 1 diabetes informational materials may include, but  
8 not be limited to, the following:

9 1. A description of type 1 diabetes;

10 2. A description of the risk factors and warning signs  
11 associated with type 1 diabetes;

12 3. A recommendation for students who display warning signs  
13 associated with type 1 diabetes that the parent or guardian should  
14 immediately consult with the student's primary care provider to  
15 determine if immediate screening for type 1 diabetes is appropriate;

16 4. A description of the screening process for type 1 diabetes,  
17 the significance of its stages, and the implications of test results  
18 identifying the presence of each state of type 1 diabetes; and

19 5. A recommendation that, following a type 1 diabetes  
20 diagnosis, the parent or guardian should consult with the student's  
21 primary care provider to develop an appropriate treatment plan,  
22 which may include consultation with and examination by a specialty  
23 care provider, such as a properly qualified endocrinologist.

24 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.

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

5 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
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