

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR ENGROSSED
5 SENATE BILL NO. 1354

By: Yen of the Senate

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10 An Act relating to the Oklahoma Hospital Residency
11 Training Program Act; amending Section 4, Chapter
12 348, O.S.L. 2012, as amended by Section 1, Chapter
13 304, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section
14 697.25), which relates to powers and duties;
15 providing that graduates of certain foreign medical
16 schools shall not be given preference over graduates
17 and students of medical schools located in this
18 state; and providing an effective date.

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

20 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 4, Chapter 348, O.S.L.
21 2012, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S.
22 Supp. 2017, Section 697.25), is amended to read as follows:

23 Section 697.25 A. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall, in
24 consultation with the Oklahoma State University College of
Osteopathic Medicine and the University of Oklahoma College of

1 Medicine, designate eligible hospitals for the creation of new
2 residency training programs to serve medically underserved areas.

3 B. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority is authorized to contract
4 with the Oklahoma State University of Osteopathic Medicine and the
5 University of Oklahoma College of Medicine to provide funding for
6 the establishment of new residency training programs created under
7 the Oklahoma Hospital Residency Training Program Act.

8 C. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall, with the
9 assistance of the Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic
10 Medicine and the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine, provide
11 technical assistance and funding for the colleges' costs incurred in
12 supporting the programs to ensure that residency training programs
13 established pursuant to the Oklahoma Hospital Residency Training
14 Program Act become funded by the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare
15 Services. Any student who is a resident of this state or who is in
16 good academic standing with an accredited medical college in this
17 state shall receive priority consideration in the process of
18 assigning clinical rotations at a health care facility that accepts
19 state funding. Graduates of medical schools located in other
20 countries which give any type of monetary contribution to a health
21 facility located in this state shall not be given preference for
22 residency programs and student rotations over graduates and students
23 of a medical school located in this state. For purposes of this
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1 section, "resident" means an individual who resided in this state at
2 the time of graduation from an Oklahoma high school.

3 D. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall establish reporting
4 mechanisms for eligible hospitals for the monitoring of progress of
5 the new residency training programs.

6 E. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall present a report on
7 the operation of the Oklahoma Hospital Residency Training Program to
8 the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and the
9 Speaker of the House of Representatives within one (1) month of the
10 beginning of each regular session of the Legislature which shall
11 include, but shall not be limited to, information on the progress
12 made in implementing the Oklahoma Hospital Residency Training
13 Program Act.

14 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

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