

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 SENATE BILL 446

By: Hicks

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to the state Medicaid program;  
8 requiring coverage of certain breast pumps;  
9 specifying limits of coverage; requiring breast pumps  
10 to meet certain minimum specifications; directing the  
11 Oklahoma Health Care Authority to seek certain  
12 federal approval; providing for codification;  
13 providing an effective date; and declaring an  
14 emergency.

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

16 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
17 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5026.1 of Title 63, unless there  
18 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

19 The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall provide coverage under  
20 the state Medicaid program for breast pumps dispensed pursuant to a  
21 valid prescription by a physician, physician assistant or Advanced  
22 Practice Registered Nurse including manual pumps, electric pumps or  
23 battery-powered pumps. The state Medicaid program shall cover one  
24 breast pump per pregnancy including tubing or other necessary parts.  
A breast pump must meet minimum specifications prescribed by the

1 Authority in order to qualify for reimbursement. The Authority  
2 shall seek any federal approval necessary to implement this section.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2021.

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

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