

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR ENGROSSED
5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1022

By: Bush, Munson and Lawson of
the House

6 and

7 Haste of the Senate

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9 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

10 An Act relating to children; creating the Task Force
11 on Trauma-Informed Care; providing for membership;
12 providing for appointment of chair and vice-chair;
13 authorizing staff assistance; providing for duties;
14 requiring certain report; providing for travel
reimbursement; repealing Section 1, Chapter 112,
O.S.L. 2018, which relates to trauma-informed care;
providing for codification; and providing an
effective date.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 611 of Title 10, unless there is
20 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. There is hereby created until January 1, 2022, the Task
22 Force on Trauma-Informed Care.

23 B. The task force shall consist of twenty-six (26) members as
24 follows:

- 1 1. One member who is an employee of the State Department of
2 Health appointed by the Commissioner of Health;
- 3 2. One member who is an employee of the Department of Mental
4 Health and Substance Abuse Services appointed by the Commissioner of
5 Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services;
- 6 3. One member who is an employee of the Department of Human
7 Services appointed by the Director of the Department of Human
8 Services;
- 9 4. Two members who are employees of the State Department of
10 Education, one of whom shall represent the Sooner Start Program,
11 appointed by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction;
- 12 5. One member who is an employee of the Office of Juvenile
13 Affairs appointed by the Director of the Office of Juvenile Affairs;
- 14 6. One member who is an employee of the Council on Law
15 Enforcement Education and Training appointed by the Director of the
16 Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training;
- 17 7. One member who is an employee of the Oklahoma Commission on
18 Children and Youth appointed by the Director of the Commission on
19 Children and Youth;
- 20 8. One member who is an employee of the Oklahoma Health Care
21 Authority appointed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Health
22 Care Authority;
- 23 9. One member who is an employee of the Office of the Attorney
24 General appointed by the Attorney General;

1 10. Six members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the
2 Oklahoma House of Representatives as follows:

- 3 a. one shall be an employee of the Indian Health Service,
- 4 b. one shall be an employee of the Center for Integrative
5 Research on Childhood Adversity at Oklahoma State
6 University,
- 7 c. one shall be a representative of an association of
8 Oklahoma physicians,
- 9 d. one shall be a representative of an Oklahoma chapter
10 of a professional association of pediatricians, and
- 11 e. two shall be members of the Oklahoma House of
12 Representatives, one of whom shall be from the
13 minority party;

14 11. Six members shall be appointed by the President Pro Tempore
15 of the Oklahoma State Senate as follows:

- 16 a. one shall be an employee of the University of Oklahoma
17 Health Sciences Center's Department of Pediatrics,
- 18 b. one shall be a representative of a child advocacy
19 organization in Oklahoma,
- 20 c. one shall be an employee of the Institute for Building
21 Early Relationships at Oklahoma State University,
- 22 d. one shall be a representative of a consortium of
23 agencies located in an urban area that provides
24 services to children and families in Oklahoma, and

1 e. two shall be members of the Oklahoma State Senate, one
2 of whom shall be from the minority party; and

3 12. Four members shall be appointed by the Governor as follows:

4 a. one shall be an officer or director of an association
5 located in a rural area that identifies and promotes
6 the development of a qualified workforce to support
7 the emotional development of infants, toddlers and
8 families,

9 b. one shall be a representative of a private foundation
10 that provides funding for early childhood initiatives,

11 c. one shall be a recently retired judge with juvenile
12 docket experience, and

13 d. one shall be an individual with a history of adverse
14 childhood experiences who received trauma-informed
15 services.

16 C. 1. Members shall serve at the pleasure of their appointing
17 authorities. A vacancy on the task force shall be filled by the
18 original appointing authority.

19 2. Appointments to the task force shall be made by December 31,
20 2019, provided that members appointed to the task force pursuant to
21 Section 1, Chapter 112, O.S.L. 2018, shall continue to serve.

22 3. Members of the task force shall annually select from its
23 membership a chair and vice-chair.

1 D. The task force may use the expertise and services of the
2 staffs of the Oklahoma House of Representatives and the Oklahoma
3 State Senate. The task force may, as necessary, seek the advice and
4 services of experts in the field of trauma-informed care but without
5 any reimbursement by the State of Oklahoma for any costs associated
6 with such services.

7 E. The task force shall study and make recommendations on a
8 statewide, coordinated approach to preventing trauma in children,
9 particularly the adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) associated
10 with negative health and well-being outcomes across the life span.
11 The task force shall also identify appropriate interventions and
12 supports for children, youth and their families who have experienced
13 or are at risk of experiencing trauma.

14 F. The task force shall publish its findings and
15 recommendations by January 1, 2022, including recommendations for
16 any resulting legislation.

17 G. Travel reimbursement for members of the task force who are
18 legislators shall be made pursuant to Section 456 of Title 74 of the
19 Oklahoma Statutes, and travel reimbursement for members of the task
20 force who are state or university employees shall be reimbursed by
21 the respective employing entity.

22 SECTION 2. REPEALER Section 1, Chapter 112, O.S.L. 2018,
23 is hereby repealed.

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SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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