

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 HOUSE BILL 1927

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending
8 21 O.S. 2011, Sections 650.4 and 650.5, which relate
9 to penalties for assault and battery and aggravated
10 assault and battery upon emergency medical care
11 providers; expanding scope of unlawful act to include
12 certain medical care providers; modifying definition
13 to include certain medical care providers; modifying
14 penalties; and providing an effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 650.4, is
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 650.4 A. Every person who, without justifiable or
19 excusable cause and with intent to do bodily harm, commits any
20 assault, battery or assault and battery upon the person of ~~an~~
21 ~~emergency~~ a medical care provider who is performing medical care
22 duties, upon conviction, is guilty of a felony punishable by
23 imprisonment in the custody of the Department of Corrections for a
24 term not exceeding ~~two (2) years~~ one (1) year, or by a fine not

1 exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and
2 imprisonment.

3 B. As used in this section, "~~emergency~~ medical care provider"
4 means doctors, residents, interns, nurses, nurses' aides, ambulance
5 attendants and operators, paramedics, emergency medical technicians,
6 laboratory technicians, radiologic technologists and members of a
7 hospital security force.

8 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 650.5, is
9 amended to read as follows:

10 Section 650.5 Every person who, without justifiable or
11 excusable cause and with intent to do bodily harm, commits any
12 aggravated assault and battery or any assault with a firearm or
13 other deadly weapon upon the person of ~~an emergency medical~~
14 ~~technician or other emergency~~ a medical care provider, upon
15 conviction, is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment in ~~a~~
16 ~~state correctional institution~~ the custody of the Department of
17 Corrections for a term not ~~more than one (1) year~~ exceeding two (2)
18 years, or by a fine not ~~to exceed~~ exceeding One Thousand Dollars
19 (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

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

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