1	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION
2	STATE OF OKLAHOMA
3	1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)
4	COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5	FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1027 By: Ranson
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8	<u>COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE</u>
9	An Act relating to schools; amending Section 1, Chapter 286, O.S.L. 2019 (70 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section
10	6-194.3), which relates to mental health needs of students; including information about violence de-
11	escalation in certain information made available to school districts; specifying topics to be included;
12	and providing an effective date.
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14	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:
15	SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 1, Chapter 286, O.S.L.
16	2019 (70 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section 6-194.3), is amended to read as
17	follows:
18	Section 6-194.3 A. The State Department of Education and the
19	Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, in
20	consultation with school district superintendents and school
21	district boards of education, shall develop and make available to
22	school districts information, training and resources to help school
23	employees recognize and address the mental health needs of students.
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B. The information made available to school districts shall
include but not be limited to:

3 1. Information about the services provided by community-based 4 organizations related to mental health, substance abuse and trauma; 5 2. Information about the impact trauma and adverse childhood experiences can have on a student's ability to learn; 6 7 The availability of mental health evaluation and treatment 3. 8 available by telemedicine; and 9 4. Information about evidence-based strategies for prevention 10 of at-risk behaviors; and 11 5. Information about violence de-escalation including but not 12 limited to: 13 training in evidence-based, trauma-informed teaching a. 14 involving brain research including trauma's impact on 15 development and triggers, 16 b. procedures for setting up and maintaining a safe 17 environment through self-regulation practices for both 18 students and staff, and 19 establishing and reviewing trauma-informed response с. 20 protocol for the classroom and school to address 21 behavior with positive and compassionate approaches. 22 This act shall become effective November 1, 2021. SECTION 2. 23 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON COMMON EDUCATION, dated 02/18/2021 24 - DO PASS, As Amended.