

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB3319
Version:	SAHB
Request Number:	NA
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The Senate amendment to HB 3319 (SAHB 3319) allows the licensing staff of the appropriate licensing board to grant a health care provider a temporary critical need license under certain conditions specified in the act. The measure requires a health care provider applying for a temporary critical need license to submit an application through a form developed by the appropriate licensing board.

Any temporary critical need license granted will expire ninety days after the expiration of the state or national emergency declaration. SAHB 3319 allows each appropriate licensing board to charge a fee for the issuance of a temporary critical need license and promulgate rules.

SAHB 3319 authorizes the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision to issue a temporary critical need license for allopathic physicians, physician assistants, respiratory care practitioners, and perfusionists under this act.

The measure clarifies that the Oklahoma Board of Nursing is authorized to issue temporary critical need licenses for registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, and Advance Practice Registered Nurses. It also authorizes the Board to issue temporary licenses to nurses from other states upon proper application.

The measure declares an emergency.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.