

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2163

By: Roe of the House

and

Stanley of the Senate

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11 An Act relating to professions and occupations;
12 making certain practitioners eligible for
13 reimbursement; requiring certain contract; providing
14 conditions for reimbursement; providing for
15 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

17 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
18 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1362.2 of Title 59, unless there
19 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

20 A. Services provided by practitioners who have completed
21 education requirements to begin an internship or a postdoctoral
22 fellowship in an accredited clinical psychology academic training
23 program and are under current board approved supervision toward
24 licensure are eligible for reimbursement.

1 B. For those licensure candidates who are actively and
2 regularly receiving board approved supervision, or extended
3 supervision by a fully licensed clinician if board's supervision
4 requirement is met but the individual is not yet licensed.

5 C. In order for services provided by clinical psychology
6 interns completing required internships, postdoctoral fellows
7 completing required supervision for licensure to be reimbursed, the
8 following conditions must be met:

9 1. The licensed practitioner must have a supervision agreement
10 letter from the Oklahoma State Board of Examiners of Psychologist on
11 file covering the dates of services of the internship or
12 postdoctoral fellowship;

13 2. The psychology intern or postdoctoral fellow must be under
14 the direct supervision of the licensed psychologist responsible for
15 the member's care;

16 3. The licensed psychologist responsible for the member's care
17 must:

- 18 a. staff the member's case with the intern or fellow,
- 19 b. actively direct the services,
- 20 c. be available to the intern or postdoctoral fellow for
21 consultation while he or she is providing services,
- 22 d. agree with the current plan for the member, and
- 23 e. confirm that the service provided by the intern or
24 fellow was appropriate; and

1 4. The member's medical record must show that the requirements
2 for reimbursement were met and the licensed psychologist responsible
3 for the member's care has reviewed, countersigned, and dated the
4 notes in the medical record at least every week so that it is
5 documented that the licensed psychologist is responsible for the
6 member's care.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

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9 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET, dated
10 03/06/2023 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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