

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

HOUSE BILL 3794

By: Hefner

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to disabled persons; directing certain facilities to post certain information; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 391 of Title 10, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Inpatient and residential-based facilities providing services to any child with a disability, as defined in Section 1-1-105 of Title 10A of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall post, in a public area, contact information for Oklahoma's designated Protection and Advocacy System and a statement that the System may be contacted to confidentially report incidents of, or suspected incidents of, abuse or neglect.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 10-104.1 of Title 43A, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

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Inpatient and residential-based facilities providing services to vulnerable adults, as defined in Section 10-103 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall post, in a public area, contact information for Oklahoma's designated Protection and Advocacy System and a statement that the System may be contacted to confidentially report incidents of, or suspected incidents of, abuse or neglect.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.

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