

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

3 POLICY COMMITTEE  
4 RECOMMENDATION

5 FOR

6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2379

7 By: Hill

8 POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

9 An Act relating to automated external defibrillators;  
10 creating the Doran Act of 2025; defining term;  
11 requiring an automated external defibrillator be on  
12 health spa premises; providing requirements for  
13 automated external defibrillators; providing for  
14 immunity; allowing for voidable contract; providing  
15 for 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 not to be  
18 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

19 This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Doran Act of  
20 2025".

21 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
22 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-1030 of Title 63, unless there  
23 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:  
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1 A. As used in this section, "health spa" means any person,  
2 firm, corporation, organization, club, or association engaged in the  
3 sale of:

4 1. Memberships in a program of physical exercise that includes  
5 the use of one or more sauna, whirlpool, weightlifting room,  
6 massage, steam room, or exercising machine or device; or

7 2. The right or privilege to use exercise equipment or  
8 facilities such as a sauna, whirlpool, weightlifting room, massage,  
9 steam room, or exercising machine or device, including, but not  
10 limited to:

11 a. for-profit businesses, firms, corporations,  
12 organizations, clubs, or associations,

13 b. bona fide nonprofit organizations, including, but not  
14 limited to, the Young Men's Christian Association,  
15 Young Women's Christian Association, or similar  
16 organizations whose functions as health spas are only  
17 incidental to the overall functions and purposes,

18 c. any organization primarily operated for the purpose of  
19 teaching a particular form of martial arts such as  
20 judo or karate,

21 d. any college or university fitness center,

22 e. any country club, or

23 f. weight-loss or weight-control services which do not  
24 provide physical exercise facilities and which do not

1                   obligate the customer for more than twenty-five (25)  
2                   months.

3           B. 1. Each health spa shall have at least one automated  
4 external defibrillator on the premises.

5           2. The defibrillator shall at all times be placed in the  
6 location that best provides accessibility to staff, members, and  
7 guests.

8           3. An unstaffed health spa shall have on the premises:

9           a. a telephone for 9-1-1 telephone call access, and

10           b. in plain view:

11                   (1) a sign indicating the location of the automated  
12                   external defibrillator, and

13                   (2) a sign providing instruction in the use of the  
14                   automated external defibrillator and in  
15                   cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

16           C. No cause of action against a health spa or its employees may  
17 arise in connection with the use or nonuse of an automated external  
18 defibrillator unless the health spa has:

19           1. Failed to purchase an automated external defibrillator as  
20 required under this section; or

21           2. Acted with gross negligence in the use of an automated  
22 external defibrillator.

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1 D. If a health spa does not comply with this section, any  
2 contract for health spa services shall be voidable at the option of  
3 the buyer.

4 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

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