

1                   **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2                                   STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3                                   1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
5 FOR  
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2012

By: Pae of the House

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10                                   COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

11                   An Act relating to public health and safety; amending  
12                   63 O.S. 2021, Section 2-1101, which relates to harm-  
13                   reduction services; deleting sunset date; and  
14                   providing an effective date.

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

16                   SECTION 1.           AMENDATORY           63 O.S. 2021, Section 2-1101, is  
17 amended to read as follows:

18                   Section 2-1101. A. Until July 1, ~~2026~~ 2031, the following are  
19 hereby authorized to engage in harm-reduction services:

20                   1. Government entities including, but not limited to, the State  
21 Department of Health and the Department of Mental Health and  
22 Substance Abuse Services; provided, no state dollars shall be used  
23 to purchase hypodermic needles;

24                   2. Religious institutions or churches;

- 1 3. Nonprofit organizations;
- 2 4. For-profit companies;
- 3 5. Nongovernment entities partnering with a governmental
- 4 agency; and
- 5 6. Tribal governments.

6 B. Those offering harm-reduction services shall register with  
7 the State Department of Health and may engage in the following  
8 activities in order to reduce the use of drugs, prevent outbreaks of  
9 infectious diseases and reduce morbidity among people who use  
10 injection drugs:

11 1. Offer referrals and resources to treat substance use  
12 disorders;

13 2. Provide education on the risk of transmission of infectious  
14 diseases, including human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and viral  
15 hepatitis;

16 3. Rapid testing for HIV, hepatitis C and sexually transmitted  
17 infections (STIs);

18 4. Referrals for medical and mental health services;

19 5. Collect used hypodermic needles for safe disposal;

20 6. Possess and distribute hypodermic needles, cleaning kits,  
21 test kits and opioid antagonists; and

22 7. Rapid substance testing products used, intended for use, or  
23 fashioned specifically for the use in identifying or analyzing the  
24 potency or toxicity of unknown substances.

1 C. Registered providers of harm-reduction services shall report  
2 at least quarterly to the State Department of Health:

3 1. The number of clients served including basic demographic  
4 information;

5 2. Number and type of referrals provided;

6 3. Number of syringes, test kits and antagonists distributed;

7 4. Number of used syringes collected; and

8 5. Number of rapid HIV and viral hepatitis tests performed  
9 including the number of reactive test results.

10 D. The State Commissioner of Health shall promulgate rules for  
11 the implementation of this section.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

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14 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, dated  
15 03/06/2025 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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