

**Bill Summary**  
1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 60<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB 225</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>INT</b>
<b>Request No.</b>	<b>477</b>
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Sen. Hicks</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>12/31/2024</b>

**Bill Analysis**

SB 225 establishes the Oklahoma Rare Disease Advisory Council within the State Department of Health. The Council shall provide guidance and recommendations to educate the public, the Legislature, and other state agencies on the needs of individuals with rare diseases. The Governor shall appoint the chair of the Council. The chair shall appoint no fewer than 13 members. The Council shall submit a report to the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, and the Governor within 1 year of the establishment of the Council. The initial meeting shall occur no later than February 1, 2026. The Council shall meet quarterly

Prepared by: Kalen Taylor