

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 SENATE BILL NO. 675

By: Allen

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to mental health and substance abuse
8 services; amending 43A O.S. 2011, Section 3-325, as
9 amended by Section 6, Chapter 177, O.S.L. 2016 (43A
10 O.S. Supp. 2018, Section 3-325), which relates to
11 contracts with public and private entities to provide
12 services; allowing the Department of Mental Health
and Substance Abuse Services to contract with certain
organizations; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 43A O.S. 2011, Section 3-325, as
15 amended by Section 6, Chapter 177, O.S.L. 2016 (43A O.S. Supp. 2018,
16 Section 3-325), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 3-325. A. The Department of Mental Health and
18 Substance Abuse Services is hereby authorized to contract with
19 public and private entities including but not limited to faith-based
20 organizations, it certifies, as required by law, for the purpose of
21 providing treatment, evaluation, prevention and other services
22 related to the duties of the Department set forth in this title.

23 B. The Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services
24 shall not enter into a contract with any of the following programs

1 unless such program has been certified by the Department pursuant to
2 the provisions of this title:

- 3 1. Community mental health centers;
- 4 2. Community residential mental health programs;
- 5 3. Programs of assertive community treatment;
- 6 4. Eating disorder treatment programs;
- 7 5. Gambling addiction treatment programs;
- 8 6. Programs providing alcohol or drug abuse treatment services
9 as set forth under the Oklahoma Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services Act;
- 10 7. Community-based structured crisis centers; and
- 11 8. Mental health facilities.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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