

1                   **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2                                   STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3                                   1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

4 HOUSE  
5 RESOLUTION 1031

By: Conley

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9                   A Resolution proclaiming May 2021 as Children's  
10                   Mental Health Awareness Month; and encouraging the  
11                   observation of Children's Mental Health Awareness  
12                   Month.

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14                   WHEREAS, positive mental health is essential to children's  
15                   healthy development; and

16                   WHEREAS, numerous family, community, and health care factors  
17                   contribute to children's mental health; and

18                   WHEREAS, early diagnosis and access to services can make a  
19                   difference in children's lives; and

20                   WHEREAS, diagnoses of depression and anxiety in children have  
21                   continued to increase over time; and

22                   WHEREAS, the recent pandemic has markedly increased mental  
23                   health challenges for children and youth.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
2 OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

3 THAT May 1 through 31, 2021, is hereby proclaimed to be  
4 Children's Mental Health Awareness Month in Oklahoma.

5 THAT public officials, parents, caregivers, and all the people  
6 of Oklahoma are encouraged to observe this month by seeking to  
7 educate themselves regarding children's mental health and the  
8 resources necessary and available to pursue positive outcomes.

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