

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 HOUSE
4 RESOLUTION 1031

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7 AS INTRODUCED

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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