

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB293
Version:	ENGR
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Impact:	No impact

Research Analysis

The engrossed version of SB 293 defines rural emergency hospital, and exempts such hospitals from the requirement to pay the supplemental hospital offset payment program fee.

The measure also entitles rural emergency hospitals to receive payments from the Health Care Authority under the Supplemental Hospital Offset Payment Program in the same manner as critical access hospitals.

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Fiscal Analysis

Per the Oklahoma Health Care Authority, SB 293 has no fiscal considerations. SB 293 defines rural emergency hospital as a hospital that provides emergency treatment and stabilization services for an average length of stay of 24 hours or less. Such hospitals shall be entitled to receive payments from the Supplemental Hospital Offset Payment Program in the same manner as critical access hospitals.

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Other Considerations

None.