## Enrolled House Bill 2937

Sponsored by Representative BOQUIST; Representatives DALLUM, FLORES, GIROD, NELSON, THATCHER

AN ACT

Relating to hepatitis C.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section, "veteran" means a person who is a resident of Oregon and who served in the Armed Forces of the United States or the Reserves.

- (2) The Department of Veterans' Affairs shall provide, in written or electronic format, educational materials on the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of hepatitis C in veterans who are at high risk of contracting the disease.
- (3) The department shall make the materials available to all veterans and health care providers.
  - (4) The materials shall include:
- (a) The recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the American Liver Foundation relating to the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of hepatitis C; and
- (b) Information from other groups that the department believes present reliable information concerning the increased risk to veterans of contracting hepatitis C.

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