

Senate Bill 446

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Requires coverage under certain health insurance policies for treatment of infertility.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to health insurance coverage for treatment of infertility.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 743.

SECTION 2. (1) An insurer offering a health insurance policy that provides coverage for hospital, medical or surgical expenses, other than coverage limited to expenses from accidents or specific diseases, shall provide coverage for treatment of infertility.

(2) This section also applies to health care service contractors, as defined in ORS 750.005, and trusts carrying out multiple employer welfare arrangements, as defined in ORS 750.301.

SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2007 Act applies to health insurance policies issued or renewed on or after the effective date of this 2007 Act.

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.