

Senate Bill 955

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (at the request of Coalition for Responsible Treatment, United Seniors of Oregon, Oregon State Council for Retired Citizens, Gray Panthers of Oregon)

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**.

Appropriates moneys to Department of Human Services to provide mental health and addiction services to seniors and persons with disabilities.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to mental health services; appropriating money; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**
5 **ated to the Department of Human Services, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, out of**
6 **the General Fund, the amount of \$_____, which may be expended for mental health and**
7 **addiction services for seniors and persons with disabilities as described in ORS 410.720.**

8 **SECTION 2. This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
9 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect**
10 **on its passage.**

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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.