House Bill 3230

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

SUMMARY

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Specifies fee-for-service hospital reimbursement methodology for services provided to medical assistance recipients.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to hospital reimbursement.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2009 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 414.

SECTION 2. Except as provided in ORS 414.728, the Department of Human Services shall reimburse hospitals for services provided to recipients of medical assistance who do not receive health services through a prepaid managed care health services organization, as defined in ORS 414.736, on a per-case basis using the Medicare Diagnosis Related Groups. The per-case reimbursement shall be based on the hospital's most recent audited Medicare cost report, adjusted to reflect any increases in the cost of medical care since the dates of the data used in the cost report. The department shall adopt rules establishing the methodology for determining the medical care cost adjustment, and may use the U.S. City Average Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (All Items), as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor.

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