

Senate Bill 156

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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 Department of Human Services to ensure that mental health, addiction and physical health services are provided in integrated manner.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to provision of integrated mental health services; amending ORS 414.022.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 414.022 is amended to read:

414.022. Mental health services shall be provided by the Department of Human Services, in collaboration with the Health Services Commission, [*for the purpose of determining how best*] to serve the range of mental health conditions statewide utilizing a capitated managed care system. [*The services shall begin as soon as feasible following receipt of the necessary waiver in anticipation that the services are to be available not later than January 1, 1995, and shall cover up to 25 percent of state-funded mental health services until July 1, 1997. After July 1, 1997,*] The services shall cover all of the state-funded eligible mental health services. The provision of services under this section shall support and be consistent with community mental health and developmental disabilities programs established and operated or contracted for under ORS chapter 430. [*The goals and criteria are:*] **In providing mental health services, the department shall:**

[*(1) Test actuarial assumptions used to project costs and utilization rates, and revise estimates of cost for statewide implementation.*]

[*(2) Compare current medical assistance fee for service with capitated managed care mental health system, using state determined quality assurance standards to evaluate capacity, diagnosis, utilization and treatment:*]

[*(a) Including components for testing*]

(1) Administer mental health, addiction and physical health services contracts entered into with prepaid managed care health services organizations to ensure full integration of physical medicine and mental health services and [*measuring*] shall measure the impact of mental health services on utilization of physical health services.

[*(b) Comparing current medical assistance fee for service with capitated managed care system for utilization and length of stay in private and public hospitals, and in nonhospital residential care facilities.*]

[*(c) Comparing for specific conditions, treatment configuration, effectiveness and disposition rates.*]

(3) (2) Design the services to [*assure*] ensure geographic coverage of urban and rural areas including significant population bases, and areas with and without existing capacity to provide fully

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.

1 capitated managed care services including:

2 (a) Requiring providers to maintain and report information about clients by type and amount of
3 services in a predetermined uniform format for comparison with state established quality assurance
4 standards.

5 (b) Within the geographic areas in which services are provided, requiring providers to serve the
6 full range of mental health populations and conditions.

7 (c) Requiring providers to have the full range of eligible mental health services available in-
8 cluding, but not limited to, assessment, case management, outpatient treatment and hospitalization.

9 [(4) *The department shall report to the Emergency Board and other appropriate interim legislative*
10 *committees and task forces by October 1, 1996, on the implementation of the services.*]
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