

2010 Special Session
FISCAL ANALYSIS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION
Prepared by the Oregon Legislative Fiscal Office

MEASURE NUMBER: SB 1011

STATUS: Original

SUBJECT: Requires certain employers to offer annual seasonal influenza vaccinations at no cost to licensed health care employees

GOVERNMENT UNIT AFFECTED: Department of Human Services, Oregon Health Authority, Oregon Health Licensing Agency, health professional regulatory boards,

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DATE: February 5, 2010

	<u>2009-2011</u>	<u>2011-2013</u>
EXPENDITURES: See Analysis		

EFFECTIVE DATE: On passage

INTERIM JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS: The budgetary impact of this bill was not reviewed and approved by the Interim Joint Committee on Ways and Means Committee and is not included in the omnibus budget bill to be introduced by the committee.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATE: This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

ANALYSIS: Senate Bill 1011 requires certain healthcare providers with 25 employees or more to offer, at no cost, seasonal influenza vaccinations annually to licensed health care employees. The bill also directs these employers to require licensed health care employees to be vaccinated, unless the health care professional declares in writing that the health care professional declines the vaccination.

Passage of this bill will have minimal impact on the Department of Human Services, Oregon Health Authority, Oregon Health Licensing Agency, and health professional regulatory boards. Although these agencies employ licensed health care employees, they are eligible to receive free vaccines through the Public Employee Benefit Board (PEEB) Flu Shot Clinics.