

SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES & RURAL HEALTH POLICY

March 07, 2011
3:00 pm

Hearing Room A

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson, Chair
Sen. Jeff Kruse, Vice-Chair
Sen. Alan Bates
Sen. Frank Morse
Sen. Chip Shields

STAFF PRESENT: Brian Nieubuurt, Committee Administrator
Joel Thomas, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: Introduction of Committee Measures - Work Session
SCR 12 - Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 724 - Public Hearing
SB 787 - Public Hearing
SB 684 - Public Hearing
SB 229 - Public Hearing

Recording Log

3:04:55 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Monnes Anderson

3:05:10 PM Introduction of Committee Measures - Work Session

3:05:12 PM {Exhibit} 1: Brian Nieubuurt, Committee Administrator

3:05:13 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves LC 3992 BE INTRODUCED as a Committee Bill

3:05:21 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:05:29 PM VOTE: 4-0-1

3:05:30 PM AYES: Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson; EXCUSED: Bates

3:05:35 PM SCR 12 - Public Hearing

3:05:37 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:05:54 PM Brian Nieubuurt, Committee Administrator

3:06:04 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:06:25 PM Senator Laurie Monnes Anderson, Senate District 25

3:07:44 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:07:49 PM Sen. Monnes Anderson

3:07:58 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:08:04 PM Sen. Monnes Anderson

3:08:22 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:08:36 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:08:38 PM {Exhibit} 2: Susie Bacon, Nurse Manager, Doernbecher Children's Hospital

3:12:56 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:13:08 PM {Exhibit} 3: Deidra Weinert, Staff Nurse, Doernbecher Children's Hospital

3:16:23 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:16:32 PM Jacob Monnes, Registered Nurse, Multnomah County Health Department

3:16:55 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:17:00 PM Monnes

3:17:48 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:17:52 PM The following testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:

3:17:53 PM {Exhibit} 4: Oregon Nurses Association

3:17:54 PM **SCR 12 - Work Session**

3:17:59 PM MOTION: Vice-Chair Kruse moves SCR 12 Be Adopted

3:18:05 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:18:11 PM Vice-Chair Kruse

3:18:20 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:18:24 PM VOTE: 4-0-1

3:18:36 PM AYES: Morse, Shields, Kruse, Monnes Anderson; EXCUSED: Bates

3:18:37 PM CARRIER: SENATOR MONNES ANDERSON will lead the discussion on the floor

3:19:02 PM **SB 724 - Public Hearing**

3:19:09 PM Brian Niebuurt, Committee Administrator

3:19:22 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:19:56 PM {Exhibit} 5 - 7: Erica Hagedorn, Pfizer

3:20:42 PM Dr. Richard Aguilar, Primary Care Physician, Oregon

3:30:06 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:30:11 PM Aguilar

3:30:18 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:30:48 PM {Exhibit} 8: Csaba Mera, Medical Director, Regence Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oregon

3:30:54 PM Sean Karbowitz, Manager of Clinical Pharmacy, Regence Blue Cross Blue Shield

3:31:05 PM Mera

3:35:01 PM Karbowitz

3:38:14 PM Mera

3:38:59 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:39:17 PM Elise Brown, American Diabetes Organization

3:41:28 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:41:30 PM Sen. Bates

3:42:44 PM Aguilar

3:44:06 PM Sen. Bates

3:46:19 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

3:46:48 PM SB 787 - Public Hearing

3:47:14 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:47:23 PM {Exhibit} 9: Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson, Senate District 25
3:48:34 PM Sen. Jason Atkinson, Senate District 2
3:50:42 PM Sen. Bates
3:50:44 PM Sen. Atkinson
3:52:24 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:52:29 PM Sen. Shields
3:52:40 PM Sen. Atkinson
3:52:45 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
3:53:23 PM {Exhibit} 10: John DiLorenzo, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine
4:00:21 PM {Exhibit} 11: Andrew Ahmann, Director, Harold Schnitzer Diabetes Health Center
4:11:17 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:12:08 PM Sen. Shields
4:12:47 PM Ahmann
4:13:43 PM Sen. Shields
4:14:26 PM Ahmann
4:15:51 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:15:52 PM Sen. Bates
4:18:15 PM Ahmann
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4:19:59 PM John Powell, Regence Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oregon
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4:21:04 PM {Exhibit} 12: Sen. Jason Atkinson, Senate District 2
4:31:41 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
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4:37:11 PM Vice-Chair Kruse
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4:37:18 PM Sen. Bates
4:38:18 PM Sen. Atkinson
4:39:58 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:40:16 PM Elise Brown, Lifewise Health Plan of Oregon
4:42:23 PM Chair Monnes Anderson

4:42:24 PM John Powell, Regence Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oregon
4:45:41 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:46:00 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:
4:46:01 PM {Exhibit} 13: Marian Blankenship, Director of Government Relations, PacificSource Health Plans

4:46:02 PM **SB 229 - Public Hearing**
4:46:15 PM Brian Nieubuurt, Committee Administrator
4:46:25 PM {Exhibit} 14 - 18: Laura Farr, Executive Director, Oregon Association of Naturopathic Physicians
4:54:57 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:55:06 PM Farr
4:55:10 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:55:11 PM Farr
4:55:12 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:55:27 PM {Exhibit} 19: Dr. Vanessa Esteves, Naturopathic Physician, Portland Oregon
4:57:48 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
4:57:49 PM {Exhibit} 20: Adrienne Borg, Naturopathic Physician, Eugene Oregon
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5:03:39 PM Farr
5:03:44 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:04:20 PM {Exhibit} 21: Linda Meloche, Naturopathic Physician, Carlton Oregon
5:07:05 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:07:08 PM {Exhibit} 22: Doug Riggs, Oregon Primary Care Association
5:07:38 PM {Exhibit} 23: Rob Dramov, Naturopathic Physician, Tigard Oregon
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5:15:21 PM Dramov
5:15:37 PM Sen. Morse
5:15:39 PM Dramov
5:15:40 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:16:12 PM {Exhibit} 24: Beth Davis, Naturopathic Physician, Madras Oregon
5:17:12 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:17:14 PM Davis
5:17:19 PM {Exhibit} 25: Ruth Traut, Madras Oregon
5:18:15 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:18:17 PM Tom Nielson, resident, Madras Oregon
5:18:28 PM Chair Monnes Anderson
5:18:29 PM Nielson

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5:25:13 PM {Exhibit} 26: Mary Innes, citizen, Oregon
5:25:14 PM {Exhibit} 27: Anne Walsh, Executive Director, Board of Naturopathic Medicine
5:25:14 PM {Exhibit} 28: Gloria Olson, citizen, Terrebonne Oregon
5:25:15 PM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Monnes Anderson

Exhibit Summary

3:05:12 PM {Exhibit} 1: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 3992, staff, 10 pp
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3:19:56 PM {Exhibit} 5: SB 724, *Diabetes in Oregon – Are Patients Failing?*, report, Erica Hagedorn, 4 pp
3:19:56 PM {Exhibit} 6: SB 724, *Statement By An American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists/ American College of Endocrinology Consensus Panel on Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus: An Algorithm for Glycemic Control*, report, Erica Hagedorn, 20 pp
3:19:56 PM {Exhibit} 7: SB 724, *AMA Survey of Physicians on Preauthorization Requirements*, report, Erica Hagedorn, 2 pp
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4:46:25 PM {Exhibit} 16: SB 229, *Expanding Insurance Coverage For Naturopathic Care*, report, Laura Farr, 2 pp
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