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Hello Mr. Guvenir –

It was nice speaking with you today. Just to recap our conversation:

Oregon Administrative Rule [581-022-0705](#) appears to have first been written in the 1980's and last amended in 1996. I have checked our files and we no longer have those records of who worked on the rule language. You asked why the rule was directed more at adults than children, and our school nurse specialist theorized it is because more adults need CPR than children in a school setting—however there is no written record as to the rationale.

I have looked through the statutes and rules and cannot find a similar requirement already in law. ORS 342.664 directs the State Board of Education to establish by rule the ratio of the number of pupils to the number of staff members who must hold current, recognized first aid cards in each school.

Should HB 3135 become law, we would update our rules accordingly.

I hope this helps.

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