

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
Vote:	6 - 3 - 0
Yeas:	Gallegos, Gelser, Gilliam, Gomberg, Keny-Guyer, Tomei
Nays:	Olson, Whisnant, Whitsett
Exc.:	0
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Meeting Dates:	2/11, 2/20

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Repeals sunset on county multidisciplinary teams (MDTs) that respond to allegations of abuse of adults with disabilities and adds reporting date.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Modeled after MDTs for children
- Inclusion of local law enforcement
- Counties with established MDTs (30)
- Counties without established MDTs (6)

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Adds reporting date for MDT records to be submitted to the Department of Justice and the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission. The report should contain the number of: substantiated allegations of abuse of adults in the county for the preceding calendar year; substantiated allegations of abuse referred to law enforcement for findings of reasonable cause that a crime had been committed; allegations of abuse that were not investigated by law enforcement; allegations of abuse that led to criminal charges; allegations of abuse that led to prosecution; and allegations of abuse that led to conviction.

BACKGROUND: In 2009, House Bill 2442 passed, creating county multidisciplinary teams to respond to allegations of abuse of elderly persons. Multidisciplinary teams include law enforcement personnel, human services personnel, and others. Provisions that require counties to create such teams are scheduled to sunset. House Bill 2165 A lifts the sunset.