

REVENUE: No revenue impact  
FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

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<b>Action:</b>	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed and Be Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means
<b>Vote:</b>	9 - 0 - 0
<b>Yeas:</b>	Clem, Conger, Harker, Kennemer, Keny-Guyer, Lively, Thompson, Weidner, Greenlick
<b>Nays:</b>	0
<b>Exc.:</b>	0
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<b>Meeting Dates:</b>	3/8, 3/20

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Abolishes private option in Health Care for All Oregon Children program. Allows coverage for up to 300 percent of federal poverty guidelines with federal financial participation. Allows Department of Human Services (DHS) or Oregon Health Authority (OHA) enroll eligible child. Requires OHA seek federal financial participation. Requires OHA give written notice to responsible adults regarding end of private option and ensure transfer of enrollees to another medical assistance program.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Provisions of the bill
- Impact on medical assistance recipients

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Replaces the measure.

**BACKGROUND:** In 2010, the federal government enacted the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA). The ACA aims to decrease the number of uninsured Americans and reduce the overall costs of health care. The ACA creates mandates, subsidies and tax credits to employers and individuals to increase the coverage rate.

Four key pieces of legislation bring Oregon into compliance with the provisions of the ACA and update related programs:

- House Bill 2240-A implements federal requirements in Oregon's insurance code and abolishes programs which are obsolete with provisions of ACA.
- House Bill 3458-A establishes the Oregon Supplemental Reinsurance Program in the Oregon Health Authority. The program stabilizes rates and premiums for the market by providing supplemental reinsurance payments to insurers.
- House Bill 2859-A updates Oregon's medical assistance programs to reflect federal Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program changes.
- House Bill 2091-A updates the Health Care for All Oregon Children Program to reflect federal requirements.