

# House Bill 3020

Sponsored by Representative CONGER

## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Provides that evidence relating to informed consent is admissible in certain medical liability actions.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to informed consent; and declaring an emergency.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 40.010 to 40.585.**

5 **SECTION 2. In a civil action based on negligence in the provision of health care or un-**  
6 **authorized rendering of health care, the following evidence is admissible:**

7 (1) Documents evidencing that the patient provided informed consent to the health care.

8 (2) Information provided to the patient in the process of obtaining the patient's informed  
9 consent to the health care.

10 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2013 Act applies only to civil actions commenced on and**  
11 **after the effective date of this 2013 Act.**

12 **SECTION 4. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
13 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect**  
14 **on its passage.**

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**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.