

House Bill 3424

Sponsored by Representatives WEIDNER, KENY-GUYER; Representative THOMPSON

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**.

Directs Oregon Health Authority to adopt rules requiring physician or midwife to inform mother or father after birth of child about benefits of using pulse oximetry to screen infants for congenital heart disease.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to newborn screenings.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The Oregon Health Authority shall adopt rules requiring physicians licensed**
5 **under ORS chapter 677 and midwives who are attending a mother at the birth of a child to**
6 **inform the mother or father as soon as practicable after the birth of the child about the**
7 **benefits of using pulse oximetry to screen infants for congenital heart disease.**
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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.