

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 3000**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 9, insert:

2 “(b) ‘Eye examination’ means an eye examination that:

3 “(A) Is conducted by a person licensed by the Oregon Board of Optometry
4 under ORS 683.010 to 683.340 or a person licensed by the Oregon Medical
5 Board under ORS chapter 677 and trained in eye surgery and eye disease;
6 and

7 “(B) Involves any diagnosis of the eye and any measurement or assistance
8 of the powers or range of vision of the eye.”.

9 In line 10, delete “(b)” and insert “(c)”.

10 In line 13, after “licensed” insert “by”.

11 In line 24, after “screening” insert “or an eye examination”.

12 On page 2, line 9, delete “screening” and insert “health”.

13 In line 10, after “screening” insert “or an eye examination”.

14 In line 12, after “screenings” insert “and eye examinations,”.

15 Delete lines 24 through 45.

16 On page 3, delete lines 1 through 16 and insert:

17 “**SECTION 4.** Section 1 of this 2013 Act is amended to read:

18 “**Sec. 1.** (1) As used in this section:

19 “(a) ‘Education provider’ means:

20 “(A) An entity that offers a program that is recognized as an Oregon
21 prekindergarten program under ORS 329.170 to 329.200.

22 “(B) A school district board.

1 “(b) ‘Eye examination’ means an eye examination that:

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3 under ORS 683.010 to 683.340 or a person licensed by the Oregon Medical
4 Board under ORS chapter 677 and trained in eye surgery and eye disease;
5 and

6 “(B) Involves any diagnosis of the eye and any measurement or assistance
7 of the powers or range of vision of the eye.

8 “(c) ‘Vision screening’ means an eye screening test to identify potential
9 vision health problems that is conducted by:

10 “(A) A person licensed by the Oregon Board of Optometry under ORS
11 683.010 to 683.340;

12 “(B) A person licensed by the Oregon Medical Board under ORS chapter
13 677 and trained in eye surgery and eye disease;

14 “(C) A health care practitioner acting in accordance with rules adopted
15 by the State Board of Education; or

16 “(D) A school nurse, an employee of an education provider or a person
17 designated by the Department of Education to provide vision screening to
18 students who is acting in accordance with rules adopted by the State Board
19 of Education.

20 “(2)(a) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, each education
21 provider shall require a student who is seven years of age or younger and
22 who is beginning an educational program with the education provider for the
23 first time to submit certification that the student received:

24 “(A) A vision screening or an eye examination; and

25 “(B) Any further examinations or necessary treatments of the eye or as-
26 sistance of the powers or range of vision of the eye.

27 “(b) The certification required by this subsection must be provided no
28 later than 120 days after the student begins the educational program.

29 “(3) A student is not required to submit certification as required under
30 subsection (2) of this section if the student provides a statement from the

1 parent or guardian of the student that the student submitted certification to
2 a prior education provider.

3 “(4) Each education provider shall:

4 “(a) Ensure that the requirements of this section are met. Failure by a
5 student to meet the requirements of this section may not result in a
6 program’s or school’s prohibiting the student from attending the program or
7 school, but may result in withholding report cards or similar actions.

8 “(b) File in the student’s vision health record any certifications and any
9 results of a vision screening or an eye examination known by the education
10 provider.

11 “(c) Provide the parent or guardian of each student with information
12 about the vision screenings and eye examinations, and information about
13 further examinations or necessary treatments.

14 “(5) The State Board of Education, in consultation with [*the Oregon Ed-*
15 *ucation Investment Board and*] the Oregon Health Policy Board, shall adopt
16 by rule any standards for the implementation of this section.”.

17 In line 32, delete “screening” and insert “health”.

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