

**FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION**

**Measure: SB 1582 - 3**

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**Measure Description:**

Authorizes Oregon Medical Insurance Pool Board to make expenditures for transitional medical insurance pool program.

**Government Unit(s) Affected:**

Oregon Health Authority (OHA), Department of Consumer and Business Services (DCBS)

**Local Government Mandate:**

This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**Analysis:**

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the Senate Committee on Health Care and Human Services to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill 1582 with the – 3 amendment authorizes money from the Oregon Medical Insurance Board (OMIP) account to fund the Temporary Medical Insurance Pool (TMIP). The bill defines terms relating to Oregon Reinsurance Program (ORP) to align the program with expected changes to the federal reinsurance program. Additionally, the bill establishes various ORP coinsurance rates based on varying circumstances such as the national coinsurance rate. The bill extends eligibility for ORP payments to claims incurred by high-risk individuals who enroll by the end of the initial 2014 open enrollment. The bill authorizes the use of any remaining balance from premium assessments established under ORS 743.951 and 743.961 to fund TMIP.

This bill is anticipated to have a fiscal impact on the Oregon Health Authority (OHA), and the Department of Consumer and Business Services (DC BS).

A more complete fiscal analysis on the bill will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required