

# Senate Bill 1562

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## SUMMARY

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Modifies requirements for health insurance coverage of services, medications and supplies necessary for management of diabetes during pregnancy.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to health insurance; amending ORS 743A.082.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 743A.082 is amended to read:

5 743A.082. (1) **Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3) of this section**, a health benefit  
6 plan, as defined in ORS 743.730, may not require a copayment or impose a coinsurance requirement  
7 or a deductible on the covered health services, medications and supplies that are medically neces-  
8 sary for a woman to manage her diabetes [*from*] **during the period of each pregnancy, beginning**  
9 **with** conception [*through*] **and ending** six weeks postpartum.

10 (2) **Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to a high deductible health plan described**  
11 **in 26 U.S.C. 223.**

12 (3) **The coverage required by subsection (1) of this section may be limited by network and**  
13 **formulary restrictions that apply to other benefits under the plan. Subsection (1) of this**  
14 **section does not apply to services, medications, test strips and syringes that are not covered**  
15 **due to the network or formulary restrictions.**

16 (4) **An insurer may require an enrollee or the enrollee's health care provider to notify**  
17 **the insurer, in a manner designated by the insurer, that the enrollee meets the criteria of**  
18 **subsection (1) of this section. The plan may be exempt from the requirements of subsection**  
19 **(1) of this section until after a reasonable period of time, designated by the insurer, following**  
20 **such notification.**

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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.