

**PRELIMINARY** STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

CARRIER:

Senate Committee on Senate Health Care

**REVENUE: No revenue impact****FISCAL: May have fiscal impact, statement not yet issued****Action:****Vote:****Yeas:****Nays:****Exc.:****Prepared By:** Zena Rockowitz, Administrator**Meeting Dates:** 4/15

**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Creates Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Oversight Committee to monitor Oregon Health Authority (OHA) in implementing improvements to MMIS. Designates Committee members as co-chairpersons of Joint Legislative Committee on Information Management and Technology, three appointments by State Chief Information Officer with expertise in information technology and not affiliated with vendors who have contract with OHA, Legislative Fiscal Officer or designee from Legislative Fiscal Office, three individuals appointed by OHA to represent coordinated care organization, co-chairpersons of Joint Legislative Committee on Information Management and Technology to be co-chairpersons. Specifies terms expiration, term length, vacancies and compensation. Permits Legislative Fiscal Office to furnish personnel and facilities. Permits committee to compel testimony of witnesses and production of documents.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:****EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:**

**BACKGROUND:** The Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) is a grant-in-aid medical assistance program financed through joint federal and state funding and administered by each state according to an approved state plan. This is a mechanized claims processing and information retrieval system, which integrates state and federal computer systems. Oregon has contracted with HP Enterprise Services since 2008.