



# Oregon Rural Health Association

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## Rural Health Care Providers support SB 757

Recruiting health care providers to serve our rural communities is expensive and difficult. Once they are here, it can be challenging to hold on to them. That is why Oregon's health care workforce incentive programs are so critical.

The Rural Health Tax Credit, Loan Forgiveness Program and the Medicaid Primary Care Provider Loan Repayment Program all help our rural communities recruit and retain health care providers.

We know legislators want these programs to be as efficient as possible. So do we.

To do that we need good data and analysis so we can better understand where funding is most needed to achieve the goal we all share — providing high quality health care to rural Oregonians.

SB 757 is a step in the right direction.

Please support SB 757.

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