

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3300

By COMMITTEE ON RULES

May 19

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 30 and delete page 2 and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**

3 **“(a) ‘Benefit plan,’ ‘eligible employee’ and ‘family member’ have the meanings given those**
4 **terms in ORS 243.105; and**

5 **“(b) ‘Primary care physician’ has the meanings given that term in ORS 442.470.**

6 **“(2) The Public Employees’ Benefit Board may not, directly or through a third party ad-**
7 **ministrator, enter into or renew a contract with a primary care physician for the payment**
8 **or reimbursement of claims for health care provided to eligible employees or family members**
9 **residing in Lane County, Oregon, unless the physician accepts patients who are recipients**
10 **of medical assistance. A physician is considered to accept patients who are recipients of**
11 **medical assistance if:**

12 **“(a) At least 15 percent of the physician’s total number of patients are medical assistance**
13 **recipients; or**

14 **“(b) The physician is willing to accept as patients a number of medical assistance recip-**
15 **ients sufficient to constitute 15 percent of the physician’s total number of patients, but is**
16 **unable, despite due diligence, to attract enough medical assistance recipients as patients to**
17 **meet the requirement.**

18 **“(3) Prior to entering into or renewing a contract with a primary care physician to pro-**
19 **vide health care to eligible employees or family members residing in Lane County, Oregon,**
20 **who are enrolled in a benefit plan offered by the board, the board or a third party adminis-**
21 **trator shall require the physician to report, in the manner prescribed by the board, infor-**
22 **mation necessary for the board to determine whether the physician meets the requirements**
23 **of subsection (2) of this section.**

24 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

25 **“(a) ‘Benefit plan,’ ‘eligible employee’ and ‘family member’ have the meanings given those**
26 **terms in ORS 243.860; and**

27 **“(b) ‘Primary care physician’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 442.470.**

28 **“(2) The Oregon Educators Benefit Board may not, directly or through a third party ad-**
29 **ministrator, enter into or renew a contract with a primary care physician for the payment**
30 **or reimbursement of claims for health care provided to eligible employees or family members**
31 **residing in Lane County, Oregon, unless the physician accepts patients who are recipients**
32 **of medical assistance. A physician is considered to accept patients who are recipients of**
33 **medical assistance if:**

34 **“(a) At least 15 percent of the physician’s total number of patients are medical assistance**
35 **recipients; or**

1 “(b) The physician is willing to accept as patients a number of medical assistance recip-
2 ients sufficient to constitute 15 percent of the physician’s total number of patients, but is
3 unable, despite due diligence, to attract enough medical assistance recipients as patients to
4 meet the requirement.

5 “(3) Prior to entering into or renewing a contract with a primary care physician to pro-
6 vide health care to eligible employees or family members residing in Lane County, Oregon,
7 who are enrolled in a benefit plan offered by the board, the board or a third party adminis-
8 trator shall require the physician to report, in the manner prescribed by the board, infor-
9 mation necessary for the board to determine whether the physician meets the requirements
10 of subsection (2) of this section.

11 “SECTION 3. (1) Not later than February 1, 2019, the Public Employees’ Benefit Board
12 shall submit a report to the Legislative Assembly, in the manner provided in ORS 192.245,
13 on the extent to which section 1 of this 2015 Act has increased medical recipients’ access to
14 timely primary care in Lane County, Oregon.

15 “(2) Not later than February 1, 2019, the Oregon Educators Benefit Board shall submit
16 a report to the Legislative Assembly, in the manner provided in ORS 192.245, on the extent
17 to which section 2 of this 2015 Act has increased medical recipients’ access to timely primary
18 care in Lane County, Oregon.

19 “SECTION 4. Sections 1 and 2 of this 2015 Act are repealed on January 2, 2020.

20 “SECTION 5. Sections 1 and 2 of this 2015 Act apply to contracts entered into or renewed
21 on or after the effective date of the 2015 Act.”.

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