

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2024**

1 On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 4 through 25.

2 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 18 and insert:

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

4 **“(a) ‘Dental provider’ means a licensed dentist, dental hygienist or**  
5 **other dental practitioner or a dental care team or clinic that provides**  
6 **the following core services:**

7 **“(A) Comprehensive dental care;**

8 **“(B) Basic preventive dental services;**

9 **“(C) Referral to dental specialists; and**

10 **“(D) Family centered dental care.**

11 **“(b) ‘Health worker’ means ‘traditional health worker’ as defined**  
12 **by the Oregon Health Authority by rule.**

13 **“(2) The Oregon Health Authority, in consultation with coordinated**  
14 **care organizations and dental care organizations in this state, shall**  
15 **adopt rules and procedures for the training and certification of health**  
16 **workers to provide oral disease prevention services and for the re-**  
17 **imbursement of oral disease prevention services provided by certified**  
18 **health workers.**

19 **“(3) The rules adopted under subsection (2) of this section must**  
20 **prescribe the training required for certification, including instruction**  
21 **on:**

22 **“(a) The performance of dental risk assessments; and**

1       **“(b) The provision of oral disease prevention services.**

2       **“(4) The authority shall adopt rules requiring that a certified health**  
3 **worker:**

4       **“(a) Refer patients to dental providers; and**

5       **“(b) Recommend to patients, or to the parent or legal guardian of**  
6 **a patient, that the patient visit a dental provider at least once annu-**  
7 **ally.”.**

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