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SUMMARY

Requires health care regulatory boards to allow health care practitioner to use telehealth when health care practitioner determines telehealth is appropriate.

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Relating to telehealth.

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

SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section, “telehealth” means the delivery of clinical information and health services to a patient by a health care practitioner from a distance using electronic telecommunications technology.

(2) A health professional regulatory board shall allow a health care practitioner that the board regulates to use telehealth when, in the professional judgment of the health care practitioner, the use of telehealth is an appropriate manner in which to provide the health service that the health care practitioner is authorized to provide.