

**HB 2685 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**House Committee On Human Services and Housing**

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**Action Date:** 03/28/17

**Action:** Do pass. Refer to Ways and Means.

**Vote:** 9-0-0-0

**Yeas:** 9 - Gorsek, Keny-Guyer, Meek, Nearman, Noble, Olson, Piluso, Sanchez, Stark

**Fiscal:** Fiscal impact issued

**Revenue:** No revenue impact

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Requires Department of Human Services to present adult with developmental disabilities, who is eligible to receive comprehensive services, one placement option providing assistance to maintain individual within their own home or home of individual's family.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Placement options for people with disabilities
- Independent living for people with disabilities
- Home living and group home as placement options

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**

Current Oregon law requires the Department of Human Services to present an adult with developmental disabilities at least three appropriate placement setting options, including two different types of residential settings.

House Bill 2685 requires Department of Human Services to present an adult with developmental disabilities, who is eligible to receive comprehensive services, one placement option providing assistance to maintain the individual within their own home or home of individual's family.