House Bill 4157

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON RULES (at the request of former Representative Jodi Hack)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced.**

Requires health benefit plan coverage of specified infectious disease vaccines.
Requires specified vaccinations for public school attendance.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to infectious disease vaccines.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2018 Act is added to and made a part of the Insurance Code.

SECTION 2. A health benefit plan, as defined in ORS 743B.005, must include coverage of:

(1)(a) A meningococcal conjugate vaccine for enrollees who are 11 years of age or older; and

(b) A meningococcal conjugate vaccine booster dose for enrollees who are 16 years of age or older;

(2) A serogroup B meningococcal vaccine for enrollees who are 10 years of age or older;

(3) A pneumococcal vaccine for enrollees who are 18 years of age or older; and

(4) A shingles vaccine for enrollees who are 40 years of age or older.

SECTION 3. Rules adopted by the Oregon Health Authority pursuant to ORS 433.273 must require the following immunizations:

(1) Meningococcal conjugate vaccine for a student who is 11 years of age or older; and

(2) Serogroup B meningococcal vaccine for a student who is 10 years of age or older.

SECTION 4. Section 2 of this 2018 Act applies to health benefit plans issued, renewed or extended on or after the effective date of this 2018 Act.

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.