

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

**Oregon Health Authority
Integrated Care for Kids**

On May 23rd, the Human Services Subcommittee recommended approval of the submission of a federal grant application from the Oregon Health Authority to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid in the amount of \$16 million through the Integrated Care for Kids grant opportunity.

This opportunity supports the development of alternative payment models in specific geographic regions for services provided to children through Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program. OHA will partner with the Oregon Pediatric Improvement Partnership to carry out the required grant activities. If awarded, the funding will support data collection and analysis, information sharing arrangements, health information exchange tools, and other work necessary to design the new payment model. OHA anticipates needing six limited-duration positions to perform this work.

The grant period is for seven years and the federal dollars do not require a state match.

The Human Services Subcommittee recommends approval.