

SB 815 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Joint Committee On Ways and Means

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Requires residential care facilities to provide specified information to individuals at the time the individual applies for admission to the facility and upon request. Specifies form and manner in which required information must be provided. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Fiscal impact
- Quality metrics reporting requirement

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

Delays publication of the first quality metrics report required under ORS 443.446 from July 1, 2020 to July 1, 2021.

BACKGROUND:

The Oregon Department of Human Services licenses community-based care settings, including assisted living facilities, residential care facilities, and memory care communities. These facilities make a wide range of individualized services available in a homelike setting to older adults, people with disabilities, and individuals with dementia or Alzheimer's disease.