House Bill 3230

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SUMMARY

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Requires insurance coverage of pelvic examinations and Pap smear examinations to include reimbursement for medical devices and items that clinician determines best suit needs of patient.

A BILL FOR AN ACT 1 Relating to gynecological care; amending ORS 743A.104. 2 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: 3 **SECTION 1.** ORS 743A.104 is amended to read: 743A.104. (1) All policies providing health insurance, except those policies whose coverage is 5 limited to expenses from accidents or specific diseases that are unrelated to the coverage required 6 7 by this section, shall include coverage for pelvic examinations and Pap smear examinations as fol-8 lows: [(1)] (a) Annually for individuals 18 to 64 years of age; and 9 10 [(2)] (b) At any time upon referral of an individual's health care provider. (2) Coverage under this section must include reimbursement of the cost to the clinician 11 12 performing the examination of using medical devices and items that the clinician, in the exercise of independent medical judgment, determines best suit the needs of the patient. 13

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