

Requested by Representative MEEK

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
HOUSE BILL 3270**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after “homes” insert a period and delete the  
2 rest of the line.

3 Delete lines 4 through 23 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. (1) The Department of Human Services shall admin-**  
5 **ister a pilot program to allow certain adult foster homes that are li-**  
6 **censed to care for older adults and persons with disabilities to provide**  
7 **care to seven adults. Except for ORS 443.705 (1), requirements under**  
8 **ORS 443.705 to 443.825 and rules adopted by the department pursuant**  
9 **to ORS 443.705 to 443.825 apply to adult foster homes that participate**  
10 **in the pilot program. The department shall adopt additional require-**  
11 **ments by rule for participating adult foster homes to:**

12 **“(a) Ensure that a resident’s agreement to give up a single occu-**  
13 **pancy room and share a room with another resident is voluntary;**

14 **“(b) Require that a resident who agrees to share a room under**  
15 **paragraph (a) of this subsection signs a residency agreement attesting**  
16 **that the resident’s agreement to share a room with another resident**  
17 **is voluntary; and**

18 **“(c) Require an adult foster home, before participating in the pilot**  
19 **program, to pass a physical inspection conducted by the department**  
20 **to determine if the home and the operation of the home can safely**  
21 **accommodate two additional residents.**

1       “(2) In approving an adult foster home for the pilot program, the  
2 department must take into account:

3       “(a) The adult foster home’s compliance with regulatory require-  
4 ments during the preceding two-year period.

5       “(b) The history of abuse complaints and the findings of investi-  
6 gators in response to complaints of abuse.

7       “(c) Input from the local regulatory authority about the adult foster  
8 home’s overall ability to take on an additional resident.

9       “(3)(a) The department shall provide to the Long Term Care Om-  
10 budsman a list of adult foster homes participating in the pilot pro-  
11 gram. The ombudsman shall take steps necessary to ensure that  
12 residents in the participating adult foster homes are aware of the  
13 services provided by the ombudsman and are informed about the  
14 availability of the Long Term Care Ombudsman and the Residential  
15 Facilities Ombudsman to assist the residents with concerns that may  
16 arise during the course of the pilot program.

17       “(b) The department shall consult with the Long Term Care Om-  
18 budsman regarding any concerns of the ombudsman that arose from  
19 a past investigation of a participating adult foster home.

20       “(4) The department shall track and compile data on the success  
21 of the pilot program and on the frequency of monitoring of the adult  
22 foster homes by the local regulatory authorities. The data must in-  
23 clude, but is not limited to, monitoring increases or decreases in:

24       “(a) The number of complaints;

25       “(b) The number of violations of licensing requirements;

26       “(c) The number of substantiated complaints of abuse; and

27       “(d) Resident satisfaction, as measured by resident surveys.

28       “SECTION 2. No later than September 15, 2022, the Department of  
29 Human Services shall report to the interim committees of the Legis-  
30 lative Assembly related to health, in the manner provided in ORS

1 **192.245, on the results of the pilot program described in section 1 of**  
2 **this 2019 Act and the data tracked and compiled under section 1 (4) of**  
3 **this 2019 Act.**

4 **“SECTION 3. Sections 1 and 2 of this 2019 Act are repealed on Jan-**  
5 **uary 2, 2024.”.**

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