



Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: SB 722

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SUMMARY

Clarifies that aggregate data, statistical compilations and reports relating to reportable disease investigations are not confidential or exempt from disclosure under public records law unless data, compilations and reports could reasonably lead to identification of individual.

Authorizes Department of Human Services to notify persons with disabilities who receive services from department of potential exposure to infectious disease.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure limits the exemption from public disclosure of information obtained by the Oregon Health Authority or a local public health administrator in the course of an investigation of a reportable disease or disease outbreak by excluding aggregate data, statistical compilations and reports that could not reasonably lead to the identification of an individual.

This measure subjects those public records to mandatory disclosure under public records law, unless another exemption from public disclosure applies.